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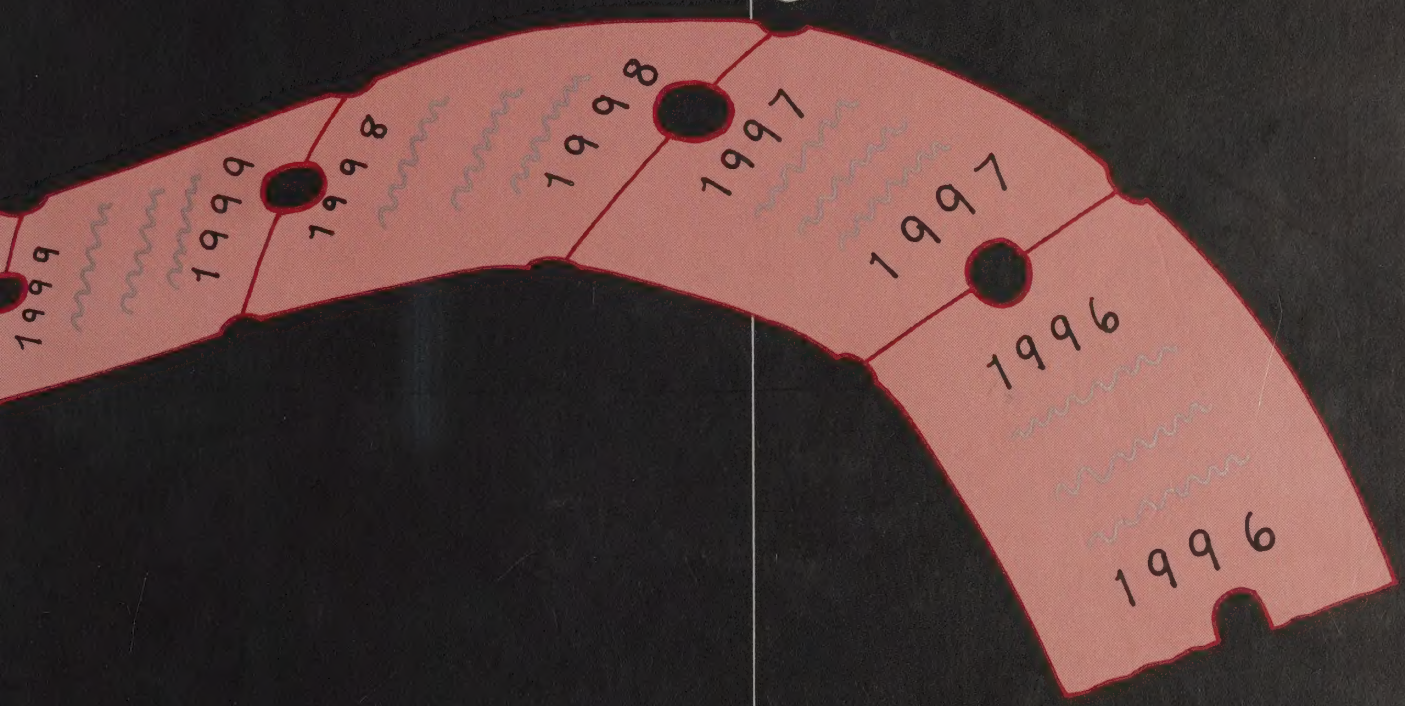

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A Ticket to Tomorrow

You know, Mount Vernon is in one of the greatest locations in the world. We have cultural diversity, history, beauty, tranquillity, and excitement, all in one small area. People from all over the country come here to attend our schools, and people come from around the world to be a part of America.

Senior Brett Weisbeck said, "I've been around the world many times, and there is no place in this planetary system I'd rather dwell." What Brett has so well stated here only exemplifies this wonderful state of mind that all residents of this area share.

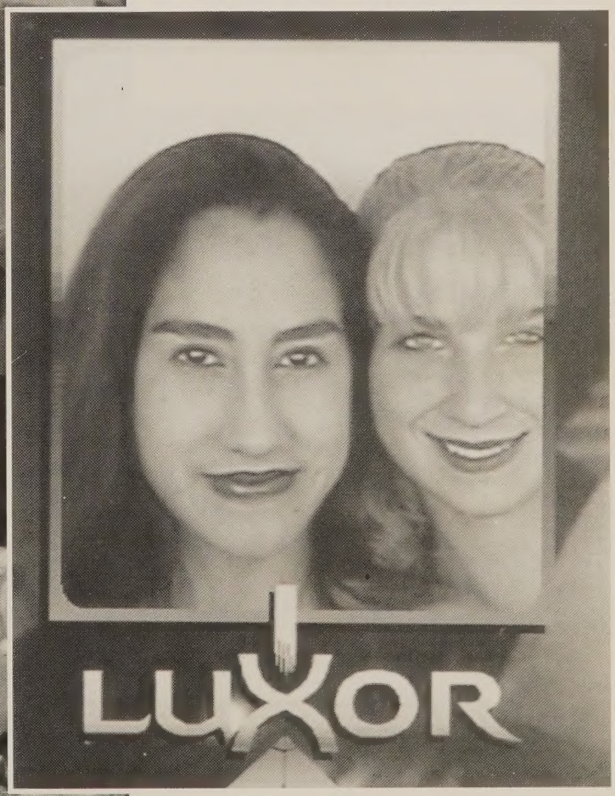
"Where else in the world can you sit down to an authentic Japanese saki and sushi and then walk to the waterfront and admire the Cherry Blossom river boat." This so graciously provided by Adam Bailey, a senior here, not yet of the legal drinking age.

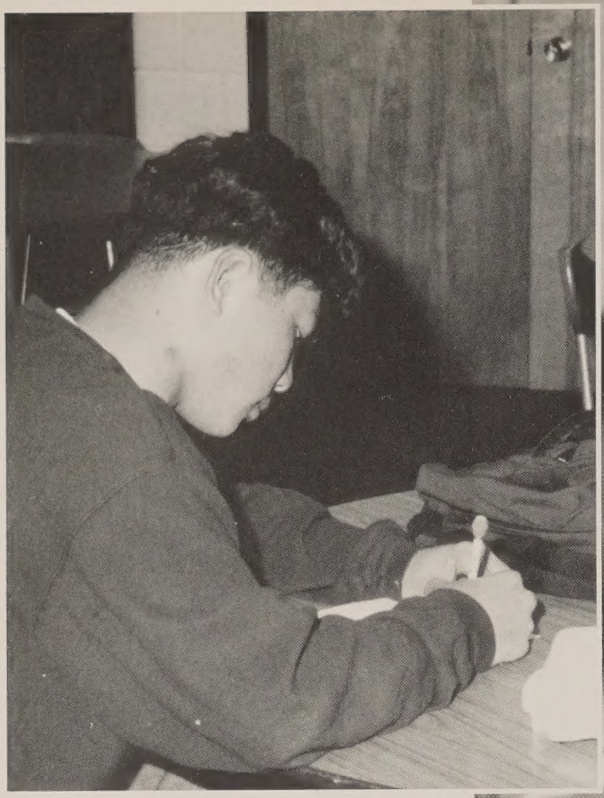
This truly is nirvana. Mount Vernon home of George Washington, Charles Robb, George Mageski. Possibly the best feature of Mount Vernon is the school that bears it's name and the students that strive there.

Seniors Mary Dorn and Jill Metcalf teach young junior Adam DeCamp how to smuggle fund raiser candy through the water pipes to their contact on the outside. Seniors, poor with paying application fees to universities, find this to be a great way to save money around Halloween.

Photos by Segall-Majestic

Seniors Delli Recinez and Jennifer Hart traveled over 2,300 miles to Las Vegas, Nevada over the summer. Many young people desire to travel, to see the world, to explore their horizons. We commend Delli and Jennifer for braving these new territories.





John Tang writes a little love letter to his sweetheart, thanking her for his neck decoration, during Gourmet foods class fifth period.

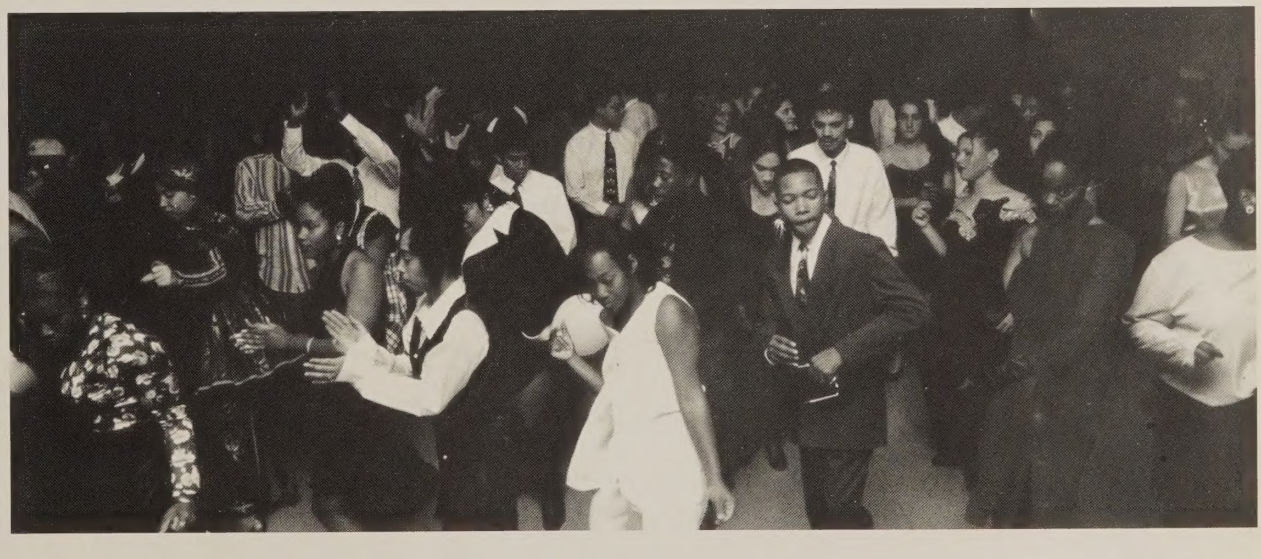
Beccy Jefferies, Tiffany Burke, and Carrie Jewett discuss an intriguing incident in class. Perhaps they find it humorous that the cameraman could not successfully level his camera before taking this picture.

Together

Many students that attend this great school come from far off, exotic locals, Africa, Asia, Europe, Australia, South America. But we do not have any Antarctican students, but surely, as soon as the South Pole is colonized we will have students from there.

We are privileged to be a part of this melting pot of culture. No other country on Earth is graced with the worldly exposure that America has. When we party we party with the flutes of Japan, the drums of Africa, the guitars of Germany, the lagerphones of Australia, and the mambo brought to us by Cuba. When we speak we mix the words of many languages. When we think we think of the great philosophers of Greece and Rome, the leaders of Egypt, the spirits of Asia, the Indians of South America, and the tribes of Australia.

Here at Mount Vernon we expect the best, and the students always deliver. Wether it be at a summer camp or on the playing field or even in the classroom the reputation of Mount Vernon is always exemplified. Our students pride themselves on appearance and ability.



A large group of partying Mount Vernon students go old school and do the electric slide. The electric slide faded out of style due to health difficulties caused by exposure to extreme amounts of high voltage electricity and slides preformed incorrectly and dancers falling on one and other causing the dreaded 'domino effect'.

Prom

The lights, glitter and excitement filled the air, for it was that time of year again. Prom '95 had arrived. Held at the West Park Hotel Rosslyn, many students were eager to get out and enjoy the night of fun.

Upon arrival at the Prom, Mr. Emmitt Rosenfeld played sweet tunes from his saxophone. "It was amazing to see my English teacher in a different light, he seemed like a professional musician," said Senior Diane Thompson.

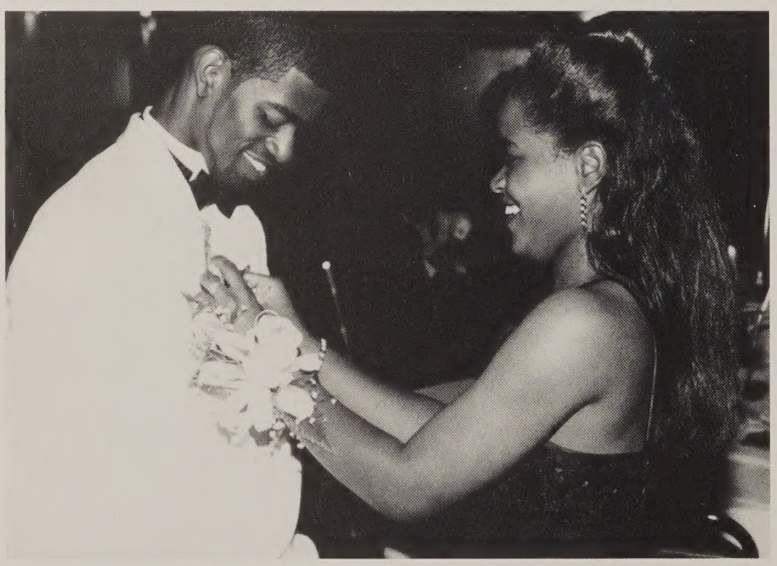
The night went very well, as the ballroom was filled with the new tunes by the DJ's of WPGC 95.5. The junior class officers worked very hard to make the night a big success. "Our main goal was to break away from tradition, and to make it the best prom ever," said senator Jeremy McLaughlin.

Tradition was broken, and the selection of Prom King and Queen ran a little bit differently. After answering different questions by a panel of judges and showing their talent, the Prom King and Queen were chosen. Mr. Nick Palmer and Miss. Jennifer Malkin were the Prom King and Queen for 1995.

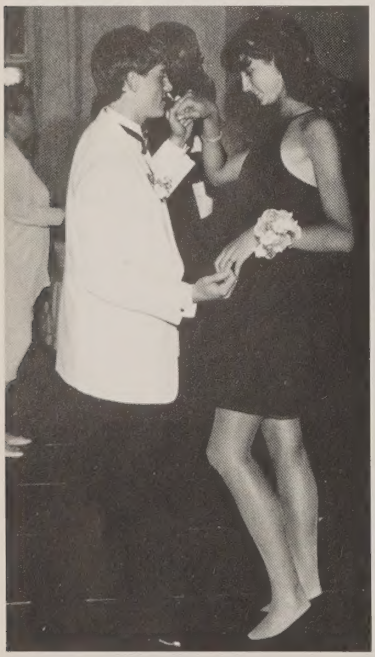
Many mixed emotions went on for the night. "Prom was all right for me this year, too bad though my date wouldn't dance with me, and someone had on my dress. But I have to say my corsage was the best," said Senior Jill Metcalf.

While others enjoyed themselves, and others didn't the point was well taken. Prom is a time to dress up and hang out with people that are most important to you, whether you're going alone, with a friend or your significant other, Prom Night should be one to remember. **-Holly Urquhart, 12**

David Rodriguez and Sonia Rodriguez dance together during one of the evenings slow songs.



Shown to the right is Eric Alexander and LaShonda Maxfield. LaShonda is helping Eric with his boutonniere.



Dancing above is Pete Harris and Shannon Reiley. Dancing is a fun thing to do at prom, especially if you are with the one you love.

Everyone loves to get dressed up. Here is Angel Higgs, Tekedra Garris, Jenice Woody, and Antoinette Williams.

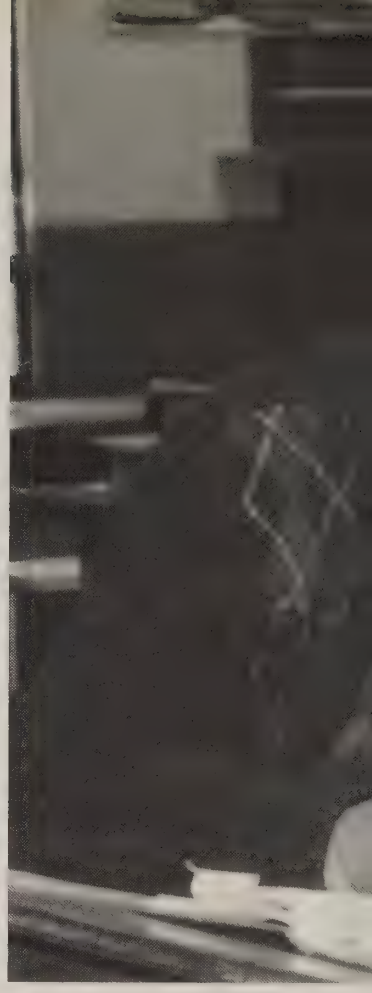
Many prom attendees are good dancers. Here is Dee Philips showing her stuff on the dance floor.

No prom night is complete without a king and queen. Nick Plamer and Jennifer Malkin were the1995 King and Queen of Prom.

Prom is a fun night for everyone. Shown above is Katie Kelly and Justin Porter, enjoying themselves on a classy night out. Prom 95 was held at the Westpark Hotel in Rosslyn.

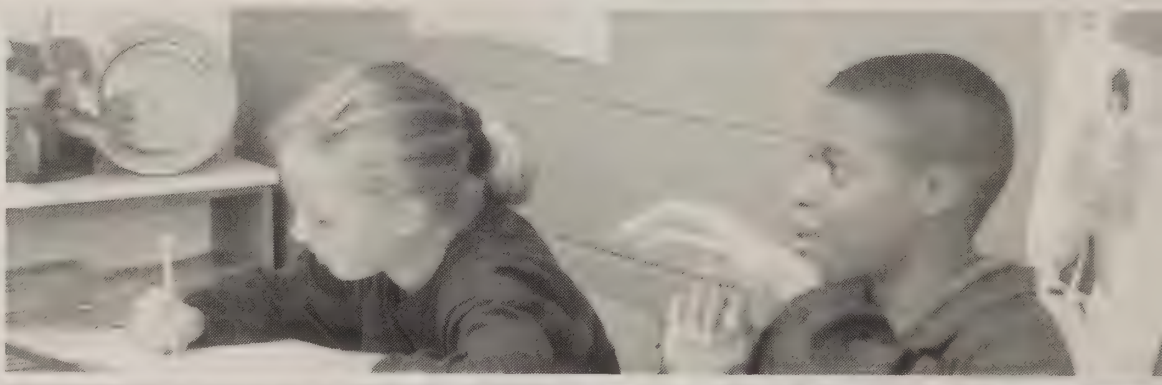
Liz Brown and Qais Nawaz are both looking fed up with their math work. Many students find higher levels of math hard.

Freshman Kevin Turner is working quite diligently. In this class, it is very important that you work hard and try your best.



Helping each other in art class is Manijeh Atash-Sobh and Wendy Amya.

Teachers put their students with partners so that they can help one another. Freshman Mary Malerich is glad to have a partner that asks good questions.

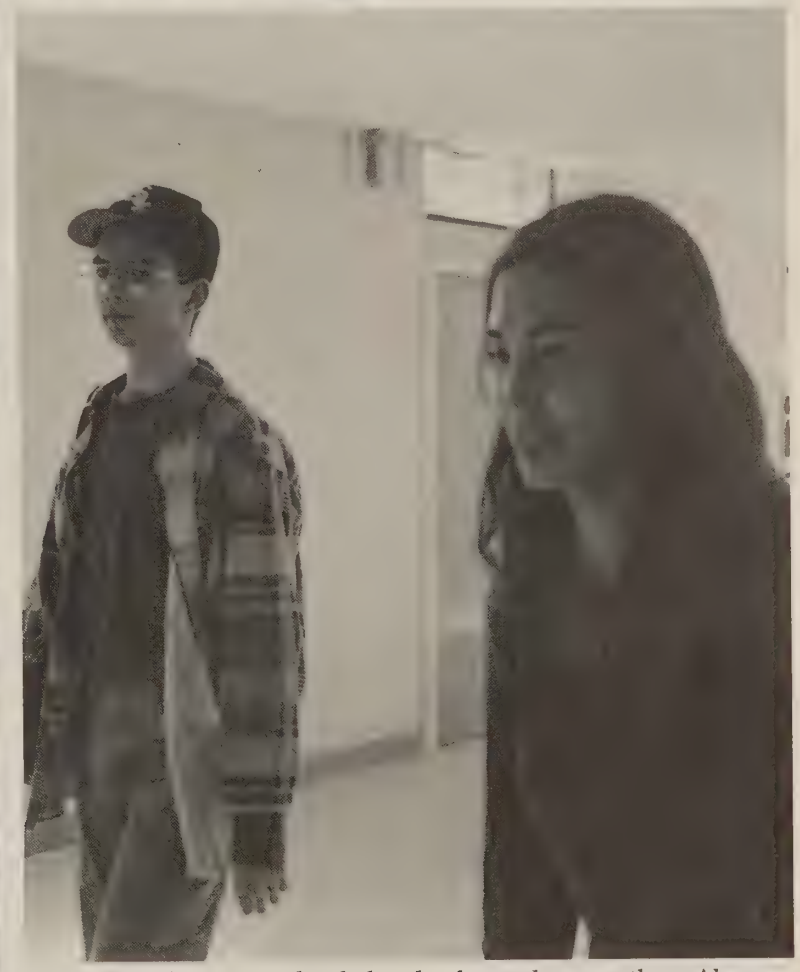


MV students find creative ways of expressing themselves. Cam Allison blows bubbles to make herself stand out from the crowd.

Sarah Hoff, Jessica Hoots, and Tiffany Lynch are all enjoying Art Class together.

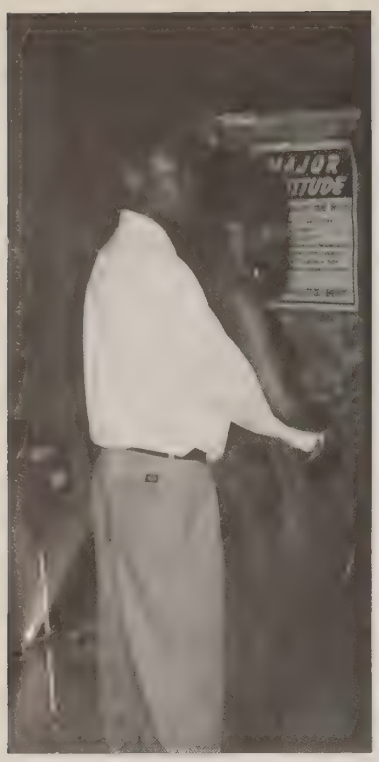
Senior Justin Lucas, taking a break during his busy school day.

Franz Rodriguez: a man with a question. Fortunately Mr. Adamusko is there to help answer it.



Walking to classes together helps the day go by smoother. Above is Patricia Kelly and her friend walking to class.

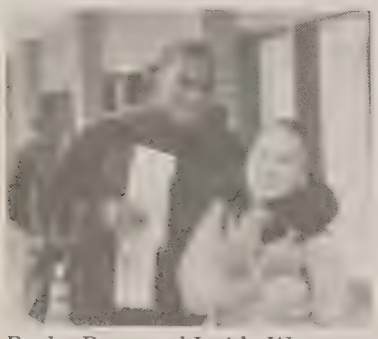
Ruth Simpkins is working very hard to complete her computer assignment.



Getting a photo perfict pose is easy for this loving couple.

To be all dressed up is a treat for this couple. They love to be together wherever they are.

Resting after a long period of dancing can be very relaxing.



Rocky Pope and Isaida Woo love to goof around in the hallways together.

Couples

Mount Vernon students love companionship. Lots of students have even decided that they've found the right one for them. Relationships can be a lot of fun.

When two people like each other, they ..."Stare hopelessly into each others eyes. Their hands sweating profusely; they have been holding on to each other so tight. No words are spoken between them. The only voices heard are the distant whispers that echo through the hallway. All which seem to go unnoticed.

Her friends are standing in the corner. They are smiling and giggling amongst each other. They can't believe she is going to do it. They can't wait either. She closes her eyes and breaths deeply. She is ready for what's to come.

The boy looks around nervously. He thinks, 'What if something goes wrong?' He too takes a deep breath. Then, he bends his head towards hers. Just then... *The bell rings and they have to go to class."* **-Alia Collins, 12**

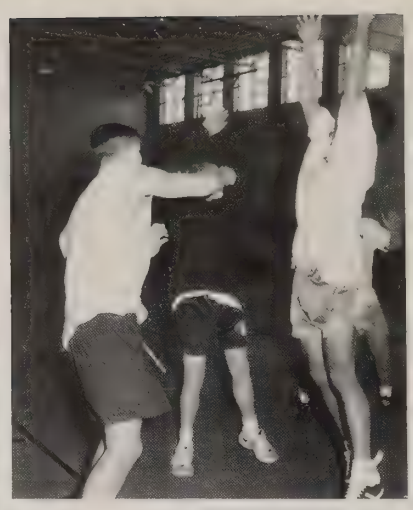
To the left is Nicci Allen and her boyfriend Michael Harris. Eating lunch together is a daily occurrence for them.

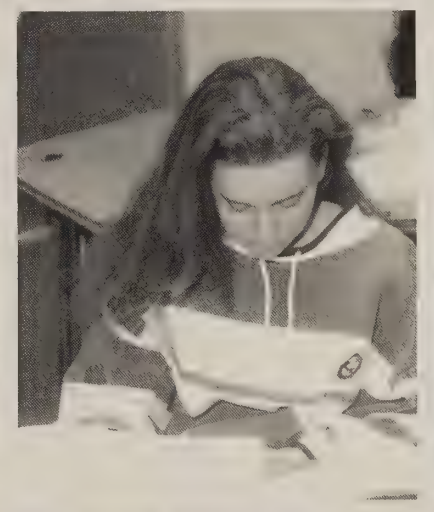
Tim McCormick tries to mac all the girls on Homecoming night.

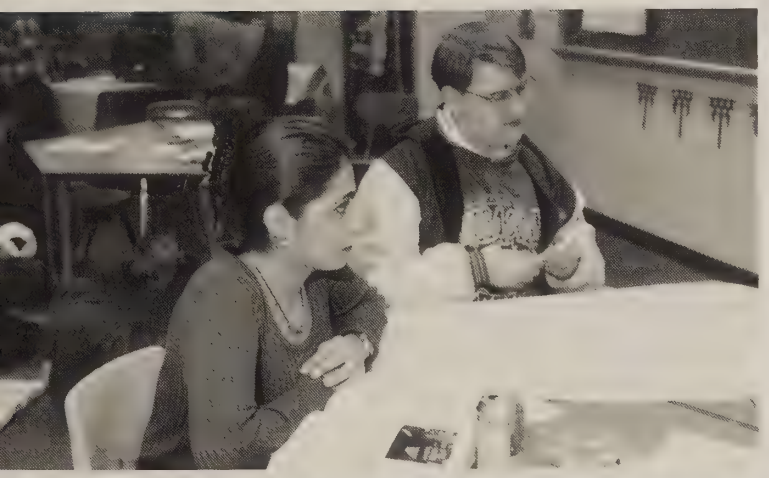
Stella is happy to be with her special someone for the night.

Sharing is the key to a good relationship. This is Chris Brophy and Mark Southworth; sharing an apple.

It's important to hold on to your man in any way possible. There are a lot of lonely women out there.



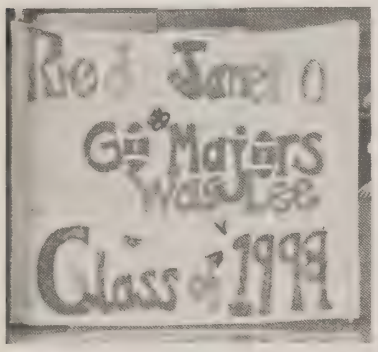


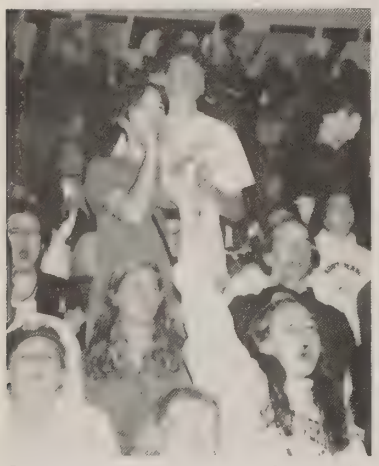


Late but great, Senior Matt Adamson's work comes in second place.

1995's Homecoming King and Queen: Mr. Sean Floyd and Miss. Abbey Woldegebriel.

The freshman tried their hardest and in return came in first place.





Seniors Justin Lucas and David Ferguson are helping to make this pep-rally the best it can be.

The juniors had the winning sub school. Their country was "Frace".

The senior sub school was very nicely decorated to resemble Washington D.C.

Homecoming

his is the Senior/Freshman owder Puff Team. Megan eeley takes time to smile in etween pumping herself up efore the "big game".

Once again, Homecoming roved to be an exciting week. or starters, each class had to ress according their daily heme. The overall Homecom-ng theme this year was Interna-onal Cities. The senior class hose the city of Washington .C., the juniors chose Paris, the ophomores chose Tokyo, and he freshman chose Rio de aneiro. This year the spirit veek decorations were slightly different from past years. Instead of skits, each class was to make a banner expressing their specific theme. Then the classes decorated their sub school and created floats. Many hours of hard work went into these spirit activities and in the end, it all payed off. The Class of 1997 won the overall spirit trophy.

Another activity added to the Homecoming Week agenda was Powder Puff Football. In this game the girls and guys got to switch roles. The girls got a chance to show their skills on the field while the guys cheered them on. The competition was: Seniors and Freshman vs. Juniors and Sophomores. After an exciting 40 minutes, the Junior/Sophomore team had won. But, still to come was the real football game.

The Majors played Washington-Lee on Saturday, October 21. (It wasn't on Friday because of rain.) During this game the Majors destroyed everything in their path. That was definitely a game to remember; Mount Vernon beat Washington-Lee: 36-6. As well as remembering the game, we will remember the half-time. Half-time of that game was when the Homecoming Court was presented. Hardly anyone could wait until the announcement of 1995's Homecoming King and Queen. Finally the moment arrived, Mr. Brian Taylor announced the King, Sean Floyd, and the Queen, Abbey Woldergebriel.

"We would like to thank all the seniors who supported us in this great honor," said Sean and Abbey. "It will be something we'll never forget." With Homecoming being such a huge success, students were ready to party! The Homecoming Dance was held directly after the game, and the Majors were ready for it. The dance was a terrific way to end a terrific week. **-Brett Weisbeck, 12**

Representing the Junior/Sophomore team in this photo is Jenny Littlepaige, Ellie Meehan, and their cool friend. This team won.

Here is Tanya Williams, all decked out for hippie day during Spirit Week.

To the left is Ronnie Ahmed. It looks like he just found his groove and is about to take the dance floor.

Above are four out of the many girls on the Homecoming Court. Kelly Cataldo, Winter Oliver, Heather Kempthorne, and Suzanne Watts were all happy to be members of the 1995 Court.

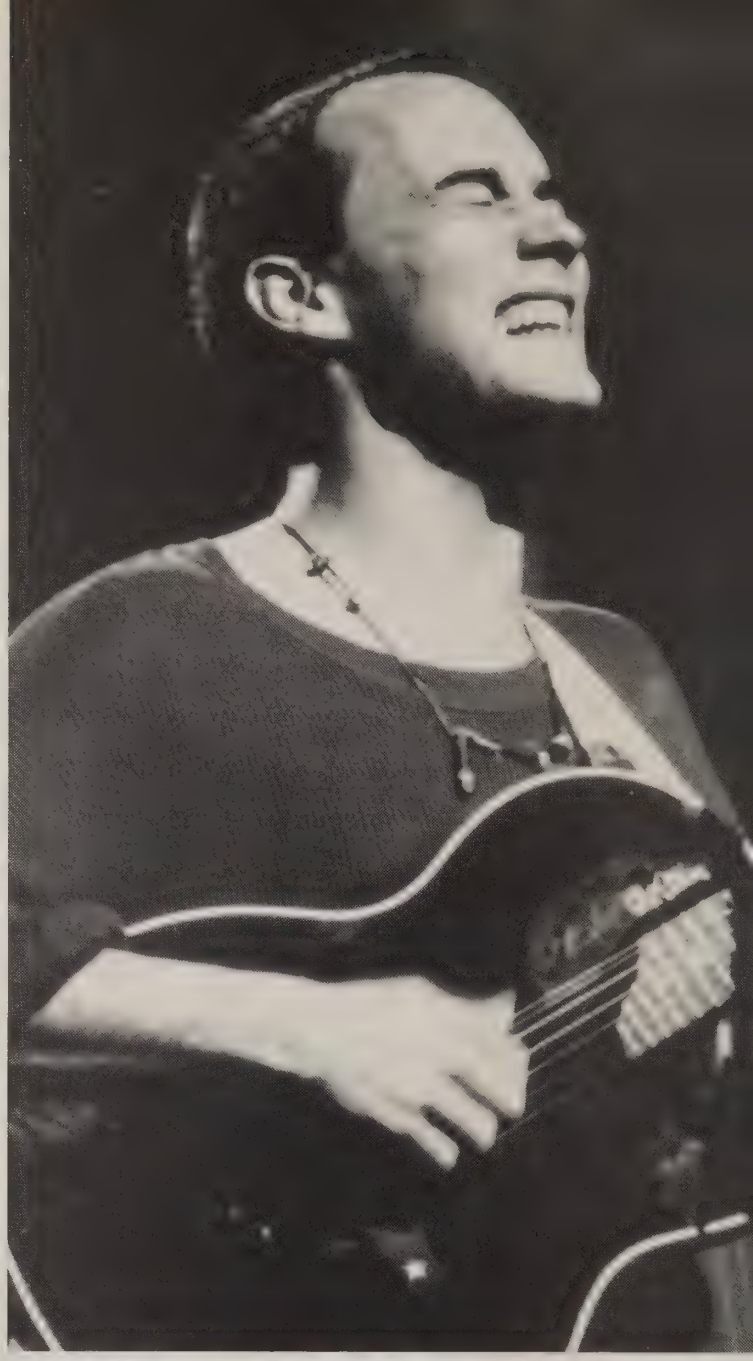
To the left is Matt Branco and his special person at Homecoming.

MUSIC

Music is everywhere and MV student's are in tune with the music world. Student's can't listen to walkman's during school but they are allowed to musically express themselves in classes like chorus and band. For those student's who walk down the hallway humming or sit in class tapping; you are expressing yourself musically too! If you look on this page you can see some artists who made it in the music industry.

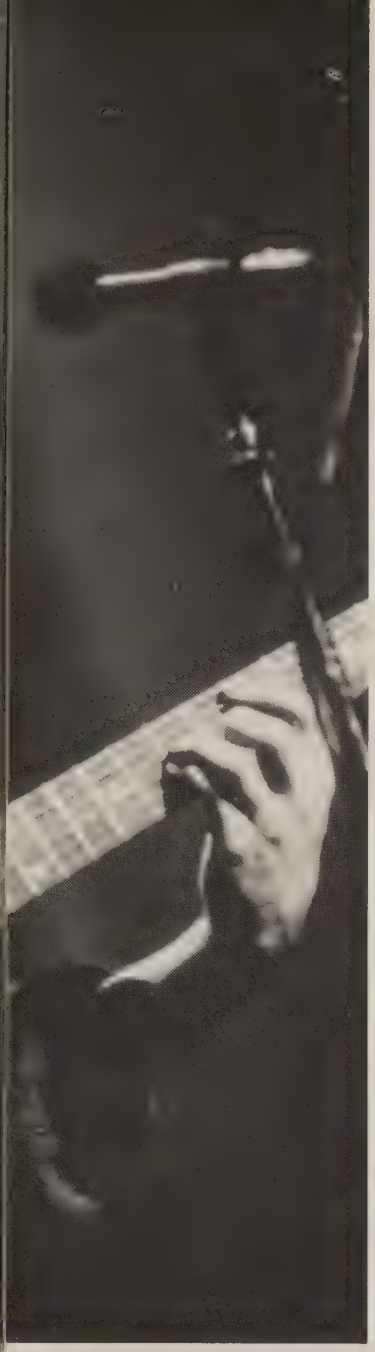
Soul Asylum is loving their platinum-level success. Their latest best-selling album, "Let Your Dim Light Shine," has spent many months on the charts.

The Dave Matthews Band may have come out of nowhere, but the band is here to stay. The group's first album, "Remember Two Things," is available at shows and through mail-order. "Under the Table and Dreaming," their second album, is a major label success.

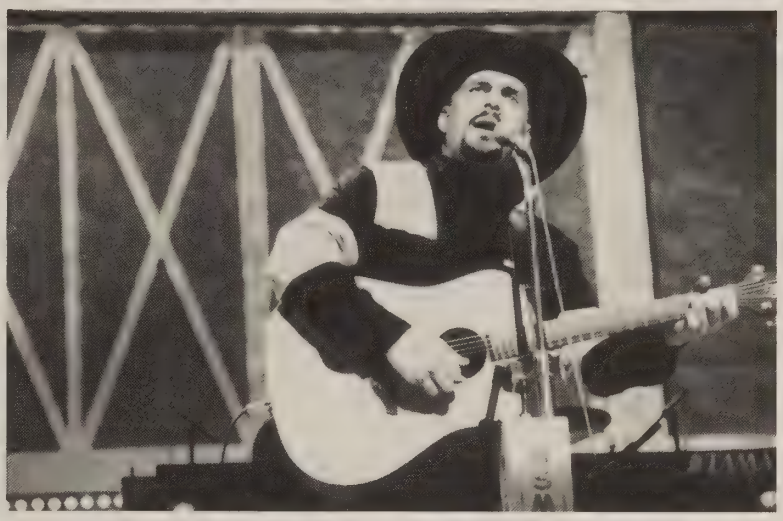


Hootie and the Blowfish, a band from South Carolina, includes Darius Rucker, vocals and guitar, Mark Bryan, guitars, Dean Felber, bass and Jim Sonefeld, drums. The band's "Cracked Rear View" album was the number one best selling album as of September 1995.

The Cranberries are a popular Irish band. Their latest album, "No Need To Argue," has been on the charts for several months.



Blues Traveler released an album this year, "Four." It has been described as a combination between rock 'n' roll and country/western bluegrass music.



The pop-rap trio TLC are at it again with their hit album "CrazySexyCool." Even though it hit the charts over a tear ago, it is still going strong.

In the early 1900s, Garth Brooks was the first country artist to sell like a pop star.

odeci, a group of four gospel-
nfluenced voices, is K-Ci,
DeVante, Mr. Dalvin and JoJo.

Boyz II Men is a Philadelphia-based quartet. This popular quartet is made up of tenors Wanya Morris and Shawn Stockman, baritone Nathan Morris and bass Michael McCary.

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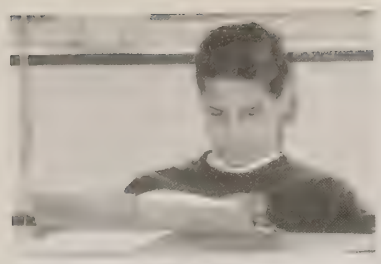


READ!

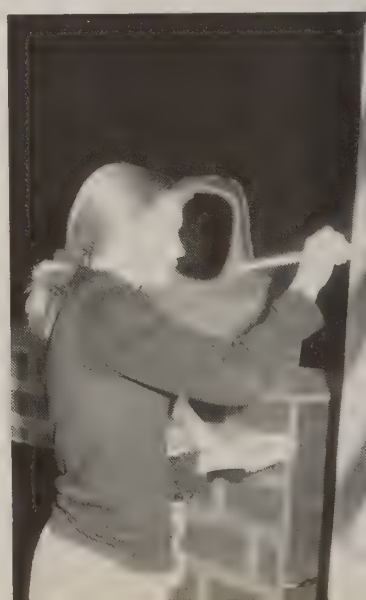
What am I supposed to be doing?

Peer critique.

When you try your hardest, you can succeed at anything!

Let me think hard about this one...

Group work proves to be effective in Government class.



Working Hard

Above is one of the many talented artists that we have in MVHS.

Enjoying his work.

To some, school means boring classes, teachers that sound like tape recorders and meaningless busy work. But not here at MV, this isn't your typical school. According to Mrs. Donna Pasteur, there are approximately 48 electives to choose from. That gives you 48 different ways to give your school year a little more zip, zap and zing. "Having such a diverse group of electives, and so many, lets people be different," Amanda Cain said. Electives play a very helpful role in the lives of students with extremely hard schedules.

Students definitely added to some of the academic wildness. Those who excel academically, have had to go to all lengths in order to get to where they've ended up. One student said, "I cring when I hear about a chemistry test, so I usually end up staying awake all night in order to cram for the test."

Certain classes stood out in people's minds as being on the wild side. "Creative writing and art are different because they make yo think differently about ordinary things," Lindsay Belfor said. Othe classes were engineering and gourmet foods.

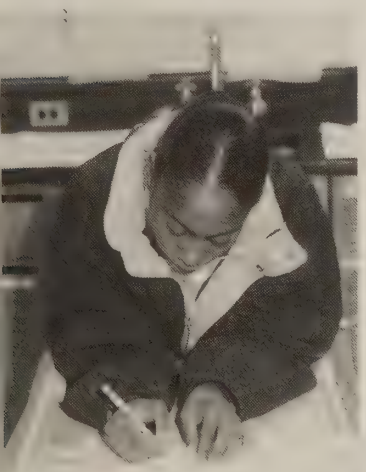
Academics, although typically thought of as normal, proved to be quite wild as well. Student's creativity was permitted to expand and thus helped many students complete unique English, math, science and history projects. From the determination of the students to the diversity in the classrooms, every student was a valuable part of MV's hard working tradition.

-Jenifer Harrison, 10

Okay- now where did that chemical go?

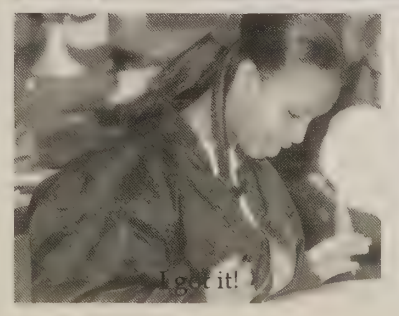
Both Miss. Snyder and Mrs. Snider are working hard to sell all the Homecoming tickets.

Concetrating hard on their art are Seniors Autumn and Amanda.



I love maps!

Details, details, details!



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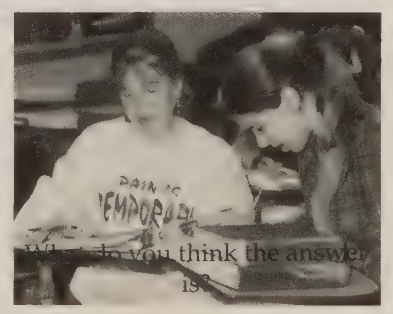
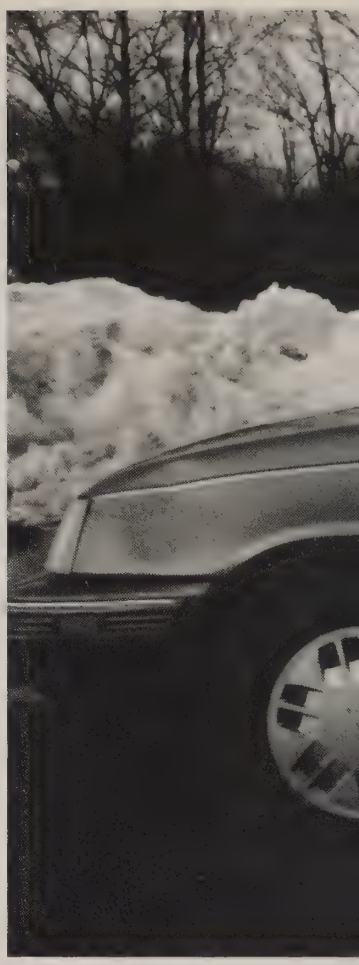


What do you think the answer is?

I can draw that.

Blizzard Of '96



Each winter, students all over MV await the days when the radio announces, "No school for Fairfax County today." This year Mother Nature gave us a shock: the Blizzard of '96. Depending on how you look at it, the week long vacation that the snow gave us was time for extra sleep, extra work, and extra play! This winter will not soon be forgotten.

Those students feeling stressed by long hours put in towards getting EVERYTHING done- got a week to sleep and relax. Some students were put to work, after all, driveways aren't shoveled by themselves. The snow was also a good time to make some money. Ten dollars per driveway is not a bad salary- if you can handle the work! Then their are the students who weaseled their way out of every type of strenuous work- except for sledding. One student exclaimed, "Climbing up the hills can be a pain but the ride down makes it all worthwhile!" Over- all, most people agree that the Blizzard of '96 was a tremendous pain: mentally, physically, and economically.

For those who could get out of their driveways and onto the streets, life was a little easier. At least they could get some food from the open stores. But those that didn't have the right car or weren't brave/foolish enough to hit the roads- cabin fever quickly set in. Walking was a way that many students got around. Others, like Scott Siegel in the 'Gray Torpedo', ventured out onto the roads.

Now, being back in school, students are beginning to feel the pressure of the snow. All the time off that we've received has caused the administration to make designated Monday's even block days. The work keeps piling up, but there is no time to slow down now because school ends on June 21- June 12 for Seniors!
- Brett Weisbeck, 12

Snow Child!

One heap of a snow creature!

Liz Brown and Laura Bordeaux stay warm inside with Reba.

Laura Leach and Megan English take a break from playing.

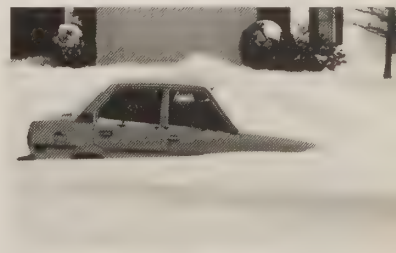
It's a quick but action packed slide to the bottomof this hill!

Sarah Mason and Heather Markman entertain themselves by playing "Heart and Soul" on the piano.

Scott Siegel and Brett Weisbeck chill in the "Gray Torpedo".

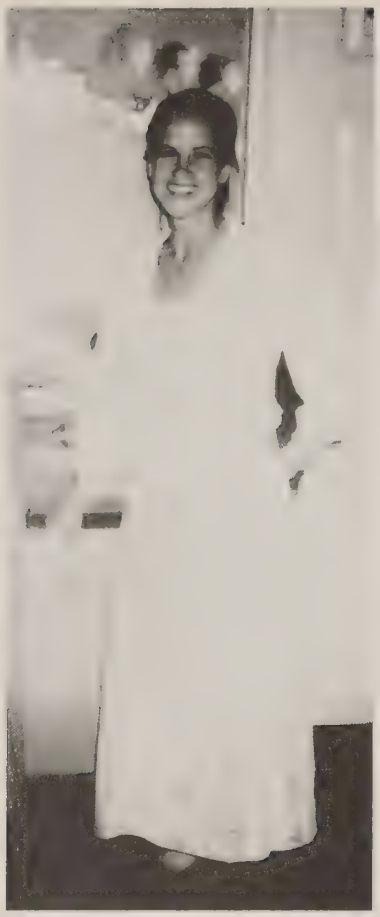
Alexandra Roosenburg, Jenny Jones, Stefanie Vouri, and Kimberly Roosenburg take a break from their walk to pose for the camera.

Seniors Saurin, Brett, and Scott pretend they are sledding.



The snow is piling up!

"I've fallen and I can't get up!" exclaimed Laura Leach.



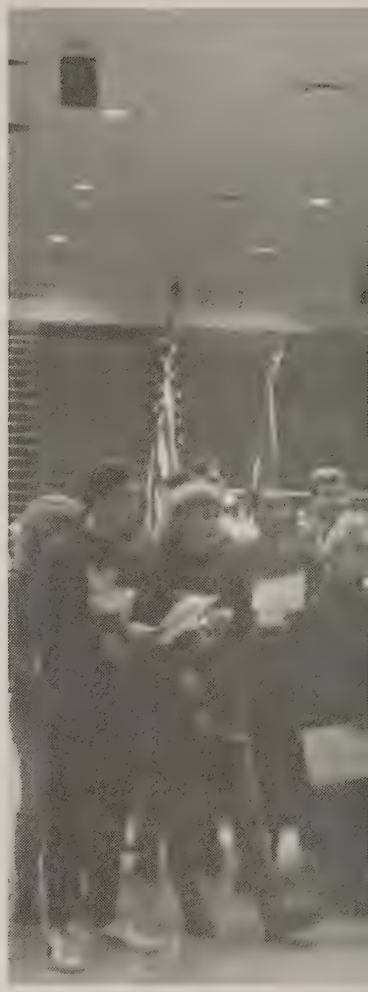
Tobi Dennick is a Hostess at Mount Vernon Inn.

Jobs

A majority of students at MV have part time jobs. The students shown on this page are only a few of the many who hold afternoon, evening, and weekend positions. Many students are involved in the Work Study program, so they get out around lunch time to go to work instead of going to classes! Those who stay in school all day but have some free periods, may choose to fill the holes in their schedule with classes that will help them to develop skills that will last a lifetime. Some examples are typing, computer basics, JROTC, management concepts, and geo-systems. Jobs help teach students responsibility, leadership, and independence.

Featured on this page are some students at their work place. Along with students, there is a listing of some authors who make a living out of writing books. Here's a list of the best selling books in September, 1995.

-Jennifer Jeter, 10



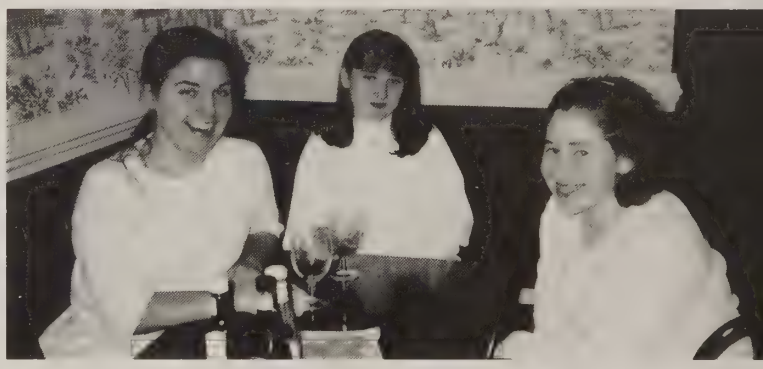
The Best Selling Books in September, 1995

Fiction

1. The Lost World
   by Michael Crichton
2. Morning, Noon and Night
   by Sidney Sheldon
3. The Horse Whisperer
   by Nicholas Evans
4. "L" Is For Lawless
   by Sue Grafton
5. Coming Home
   by Rosamunde Pilcher
6. A Place Called Freedom
   by Ken Follett
7. Come To Grief
   by Dick Francis
8. Dead Man's Walk
   by Larry McMurry
9. Beach Music
   by Pat Conroy
10. The Celestine Prophecy
    by James Redfield

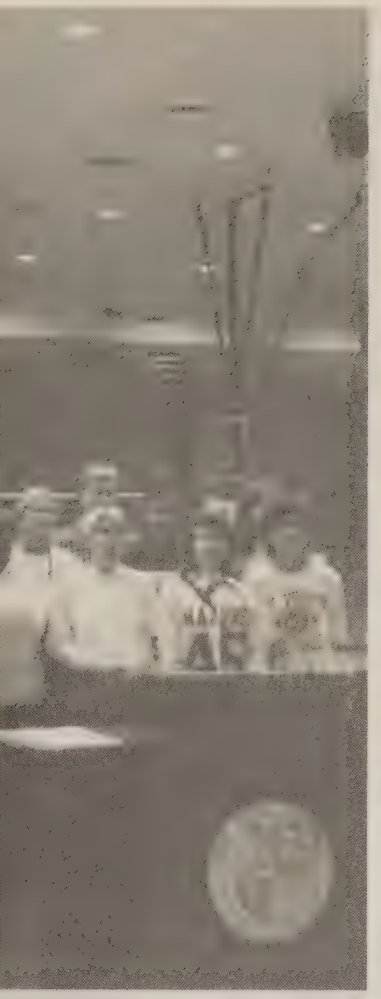
Nonfiction

1. My American Journey
   by Colin Powell
2. My Point... And I Have One
   by Ellen DeGeneres
3. A Good Walk Spoiled
   by John Feinstein
4. I'm Only One Man!
   by Regis Philbin
5. Midnight In The Garden Of Good and Evil
   by John Berendt
6. My Old Man and the Sea
   by David Hays/Daniel Hays
7. Spontaneous Healing
   by Andrew Weil
8. Buffett
   by Roger Lowenstein
9. Emotional Intelligence
   by Daniel Goleman
10. Sisters
    by Carol Saline



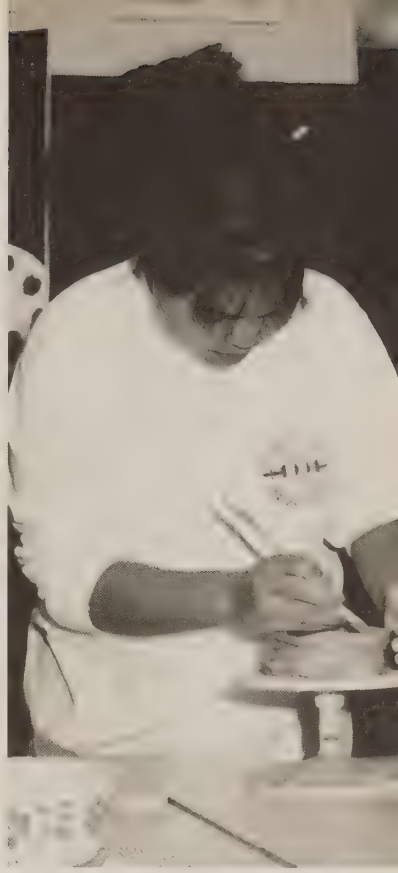
Diane Thompson, Meg Berg, and Heather Markman are taking a lunch break from Mount Vernon Gift Shop.

Nicole Brown and Beth Buckley wipe dust from Christmas Bells in Mount Vernon Gift Shop.



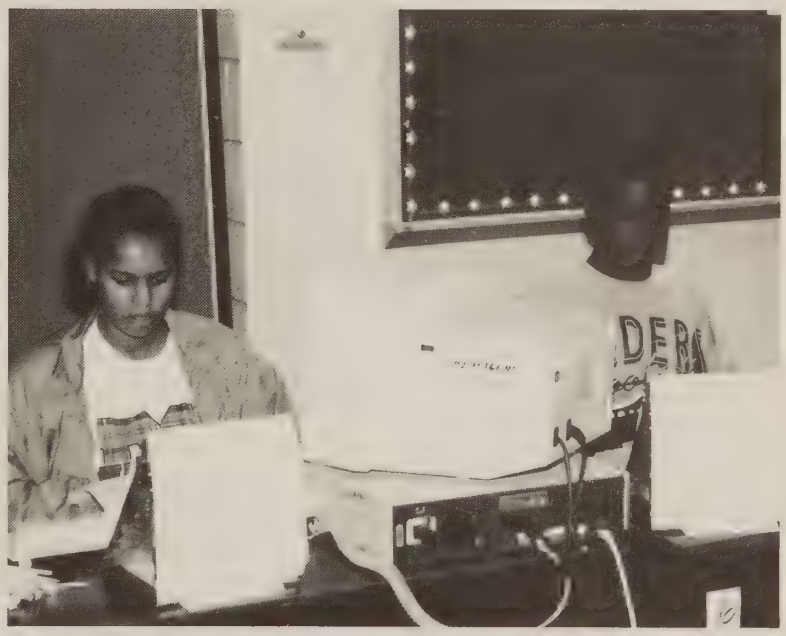
These people should keep their day jobs.

Technical classes are a great place to learn a skill.



You can always get a job in Williamsburg making pottery.

Wendy Amaya works at Blockbuster Video.



Keyboarding provides great job skills.

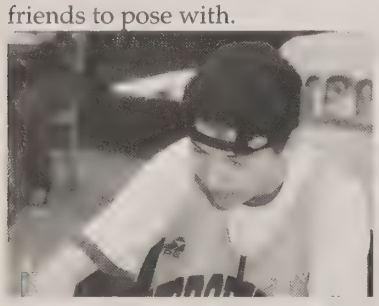
Technical drawing can lead to a great job after graduation.

MV's Style

It is always comforting to have friends to pose with.

Styles at Mount Vernon do not fall into one particular category. People here just wear what they like. If they feel like wearing sweat pants and slippers, then that's what they wear. MV prides itself on being original. Having purple hair instead of blonde or wearing Tommy Hilfiger instead of Polo... Style is up to the individual. Each student chooses from a wide variety of styles. A good way to view the diversity at MV is to notice all the different styles. No matter if you wear your daddy's clothes or Isasic Mzrahi's ready to wear line-MV is the place where you can be yourself! **- Leah Collins, 12**

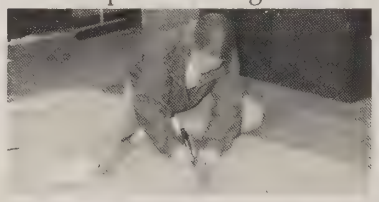
(a note from the author: Color Guard 3, 4. B Lax 2, 3, 4. Ghetto Corner. KM, LM, CB, BW, squid, naomi, denny's, john, BMW, those stories!!!!! eric ur gettin the hang of it! G.O. I hope you RIP. SP, EP, MV I'm out)



Many students wear clothes that have their favorite sports teams or school logos printed on them.

Don't hate me because I'm beautiful...

So complex: drawing the line.



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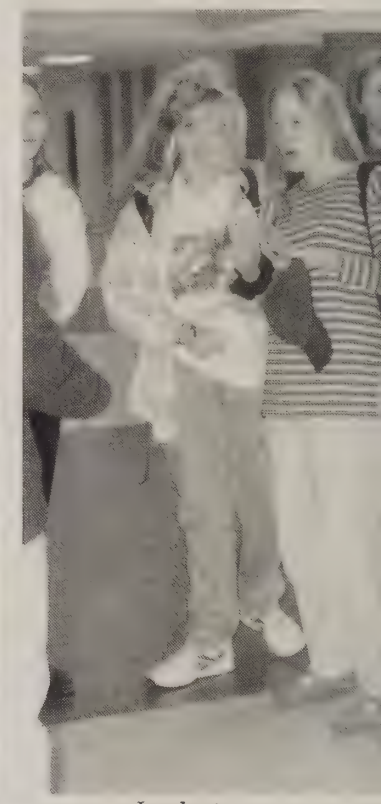


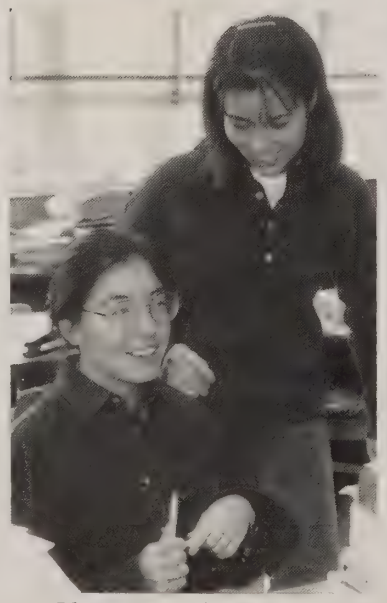
Look at us...

Stike a pose!

The ever nutritious and delicious lunch: Mmmm Mmmm GOOD!

The Best Selling Albums as of 9/95

1. Cracked Rear View...Hootie & The Blowfish
2. Dangerous Minds.....sdtk.
3. Jagged Little Pill.....Alanis Morissette
4. One Hot Minute.....Red Hot Chili Peppers
5. Crazysexycool.....TLC



I love Mrs. Glaze's class!

We're cool.

What persons of common sense and with reasonably nice feelings could enjoy together?

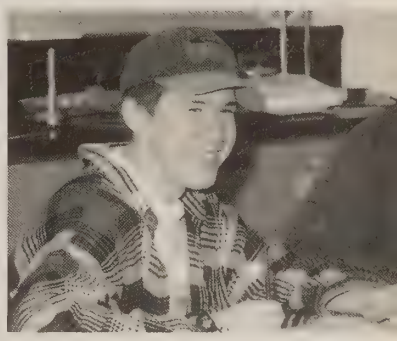
Hi. I'm Eric, and this is my friend Eric.

Both staring out in space, dream of dancing in a field of wild orchids.

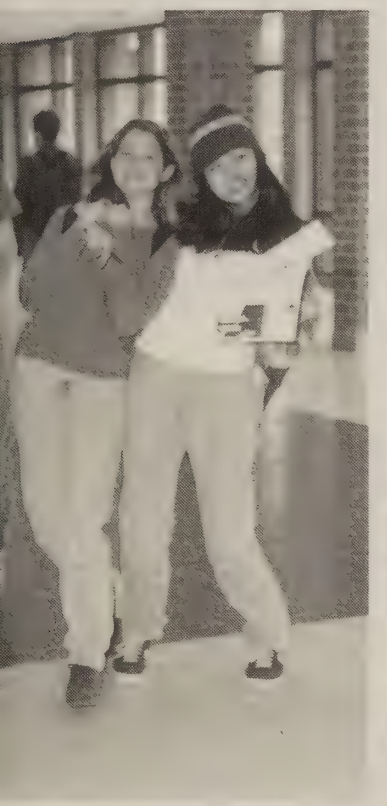
I'm a product of IB.

Inseperable.

I got an A!



Say cheese!



...we're FRESHMAN!

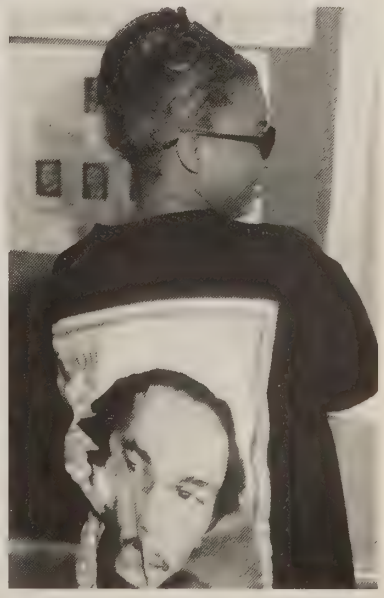
Lunchin' with some friends.

The Top Movies at the Box Office in 9/95

1. Seven
2. Assassins
3. Dead Presidents
4. To Die For
5. ...The American Quilt
6. The Big Green
7. Devil in a Blue Dress
8. Halloween 6
9. To Wong Foo
10. Showgirls

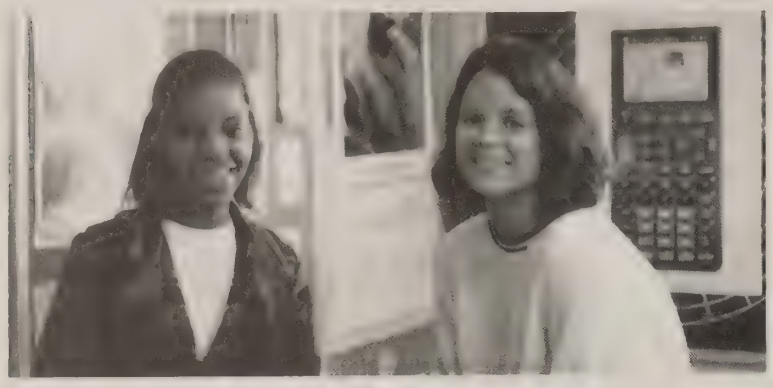
They await only the word of command. Smile for the camera...please.

I DISCOVERED THE MEANING OF LIFE! then forgot it.



Chillin' with Bob.

Juniors Ticia Manning and Jeanette Buchholz take a break from math and smile for the camera.

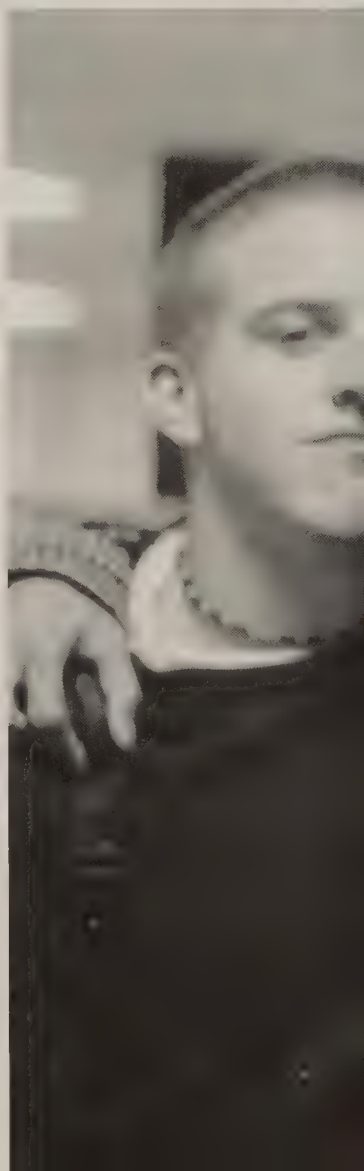


Hanging out in the halls of MV are seniors Tiffany Burke, Jessica White, Aaron Wise, Carrie Jewett, Eric, Amanda Cagigas, and Erin Watts.

Freshman can be very artistic people. Samir Patel and Neil "Porkchop" Burroughs are making paper flowers.

Tim McCormick surprises freshman Arlene McCalum.

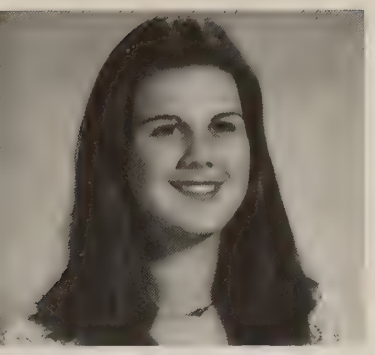
Friends Cliff Johnson, Bernard Farmer, Ray Wooten, and Anthony Brown are hanging out in Mrs. Nagelhout's doorway.



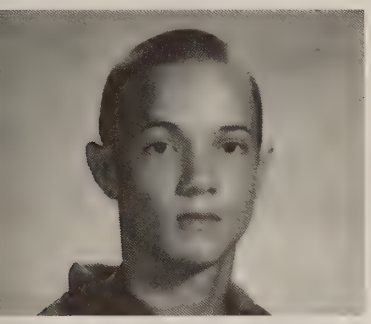
Taking a walk across the parking lot are seniors Cathy Kiefer, Amanda Cagigas, Tiffany Burke, Mary Doran, and Jill Metcalf.

Sharie Quin, Cindy Collier, and Debbie Sas all have fun outside at lunch.

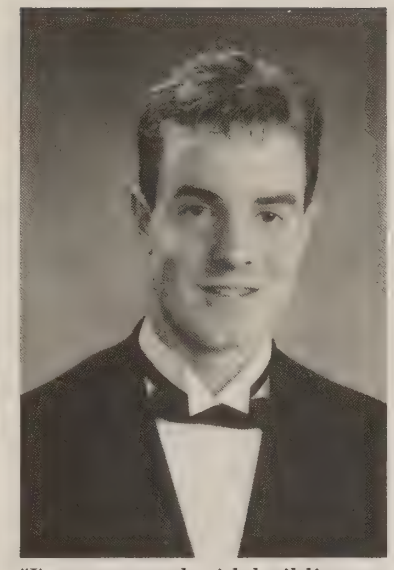
Friends



"Friends are always there for you when you need them, except when they're grouchy, then leave them alone!" said Sophomore Krissi Moran.



When asked about friendship, Scott Delora jokingly exclamed, "Always got money!"



"I'm concerned with building friendships. Relationships will come and go but friendships will last," said Senior Brian Leach.

Students are always goofing off with friends in the halls, locker banks and even in the classrooms. Friends are there to listen, care, cry on, laugh with and share secrets with. Friends compare homework and discuss classes, anything to make the work load a little lighter. Friendships don't end when the bell rings at 2:10! Then students move on to their after school activities. Together, friends participate in things like sports, clubs and band. Mixed in with the people you've known since elementary school, are some of the new kids to the MV area. Meeting new people is an every day occurrence at Mount Vernon. These new relationships often form true friendships that will remain throughout good and bad times. Adding to your circle of friends gives you a better outlook on life. **-Laura Leach, 10**

Juniors Holly Jourdan, Ellie Meehan, and Jenny Littlepaige are goofing off during their lunch break.

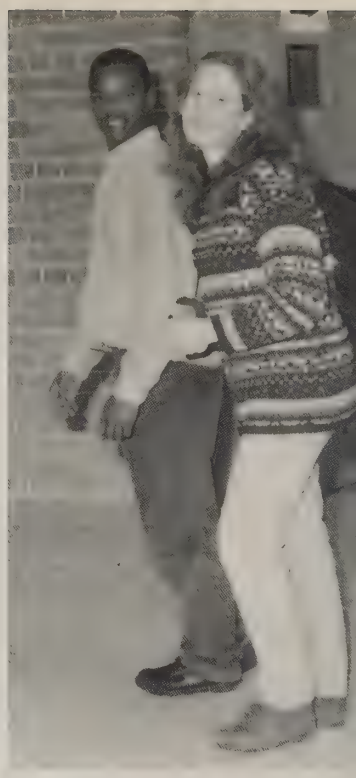
There is nothing like best buds to help the day go by smoother. Here are friends Jimmy Card, Tony Fuentes, and Todd Sharpe.

SENIORS

Applications, scholarships, friendships and FUN! Senior Year marks the end of one life and the stepping stone to another. This year seniors have been working very hard to accomplish many things. With the high number of students accepted into the top Universities of the world, the class of '96 is simply one of the best classes to ever bless the halls of MV. A large amount of Seniors choose to participate in a variety of clubs and sports to improve activity records, others choose to focus on the books, then as always some find it easier to look from behind the scenes and just hang with their friends. Though the year comes to an end, the friendships gained over time will last forever.

Of course, no year would be complete without a share of problems. This year's Senior Class has had the unique opportunity to get a new principal almost each year. This year's pick, Mrs. Norman was and still is being warmly welcomed into the class of 96. Getting new principals each year is not an easy thing to have because, as Senior Kelly Osborne said, "As soon as I got to know one, another was filling the position. That puts a strain on college recommendations." Even with an inconsistency of principals, the Prom date pushed back to June, and a 4:00 pm Graduation, this year's seniors will not be stopped! "Backwards Never, Forward Forever"- the motto of the Class of '96.

"Four years come and gone," is what Senior Delia Racines had to say when asked to comment on her final year in Mount Vernon. Mixed emotions of happiness and fear fills the graduating class. While some will venture off to college, some to professional work and some just to find their place in the world, the memories and times spent in Mount Vernon will be treasured for many years to come.
-Holly Urquhart, 12



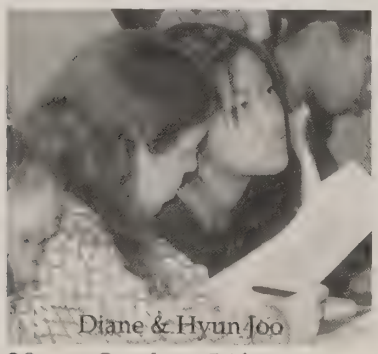
Jessica White and Herman Prescott walk down the hall together between classes. Walking to classes with friends helps to break up the day.

Eating in the "Senior Lunch Room"

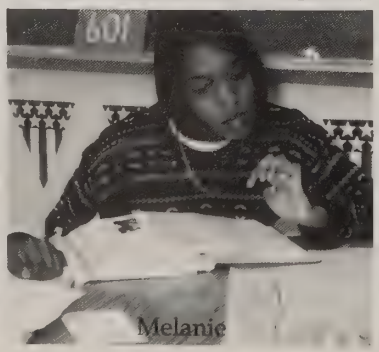
Drawing is a favorite activity fo Jamal.

Best of friends: Jen Reiley, Katie Kelly, Dan Von, Oliver Sharpe, Mike Kilday, and Greg Wong.

ALL HARD AT WORK



Diane & Hyun Joo



Melanie

David

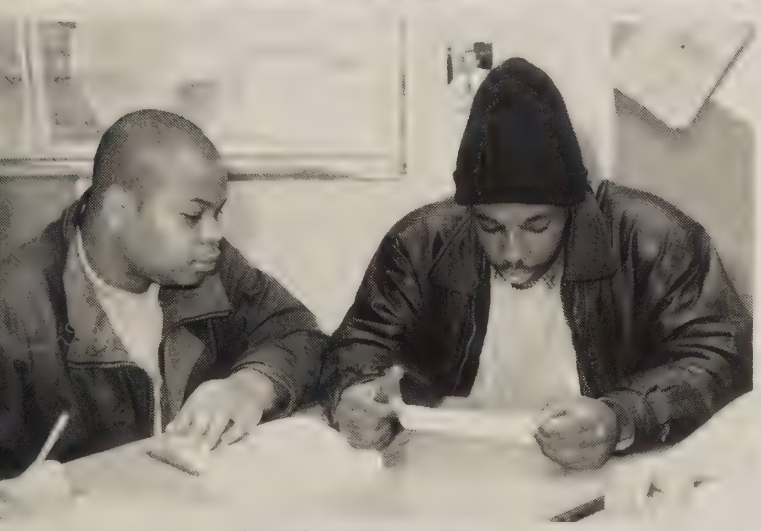
Cousins

Jen's

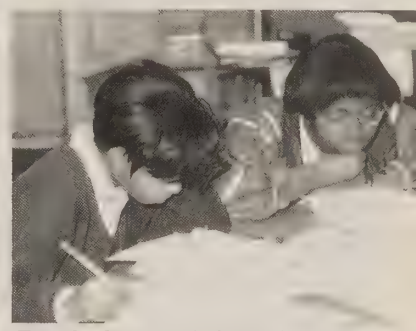
Anna efficiently unleashes her pen.

That didn't come out of the cafeteria juice machine!

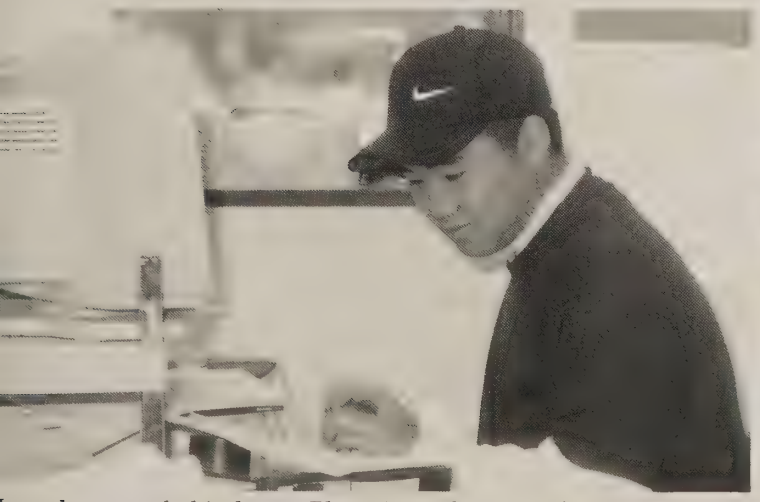
Group work works for Kelly, Katy, and [illegible]


Friends work together.

Going in for the layup.

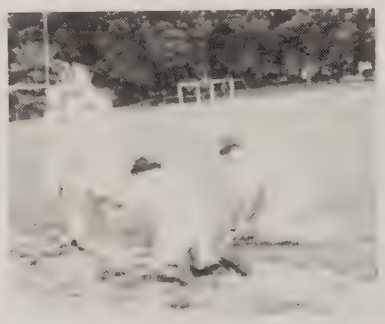

Finish classwork first, then take time to relax.

Precision and detail.


I am the secret behind your Physic's grade! Just joking, I'm only a teacher's helper.

Work, work, work!

Mr. Sexy Legs Contest



TUG

OF

WAR!

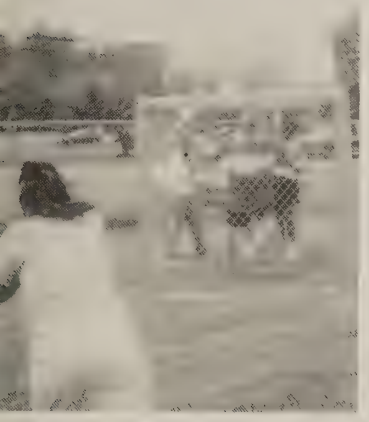
MAYFEST '95

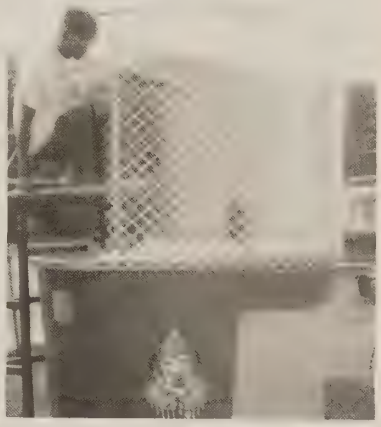
Crowds of students wait in line. The day they all have been waiting for has come. Each student, whomever they are, is waiting for the same thing: a chance to get out of school early and have loads of fun! This beautiful May day started out as any other normal day except that the schedule was shortened and anxiety was attacking. No one could help but finger the ticket that they had waited so long to purchase and to use.

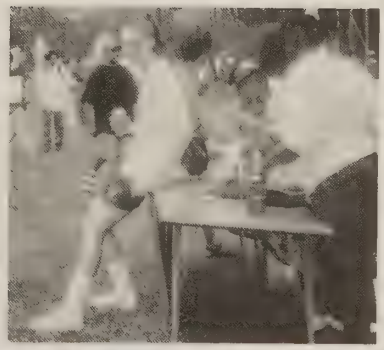
This is the day in which classes unite in competitions against other classes. It's a time when students can compete together, help raise money for their favorite school club/organization, and listen to some local bands. Games like Tug of War, Three Leg Race, and the People Dunk help to excitingly start the festival. Listening to Sarah Pettaway's band and watching Mr. Sexy legs Taylor be worshiped by Mr. Elgin and Mr. Locher tops the day off at an ultimate high.

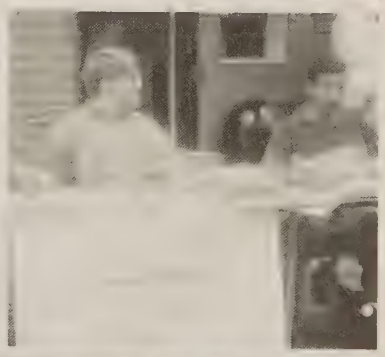
Welcome to Mayfest 1995!

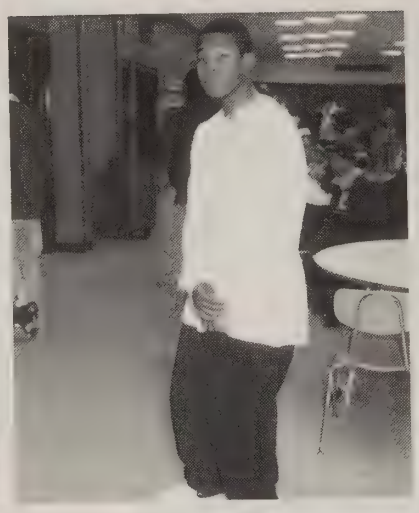
-Alia Collins, 12

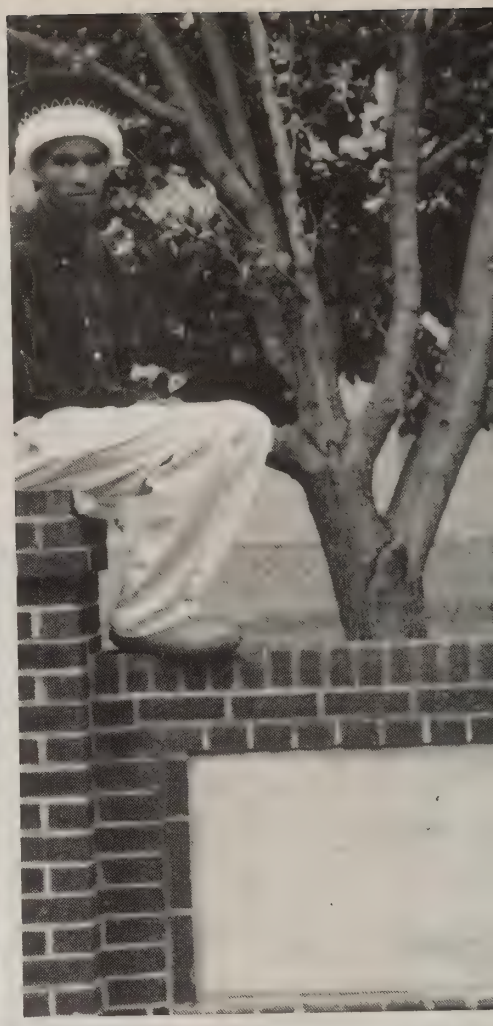


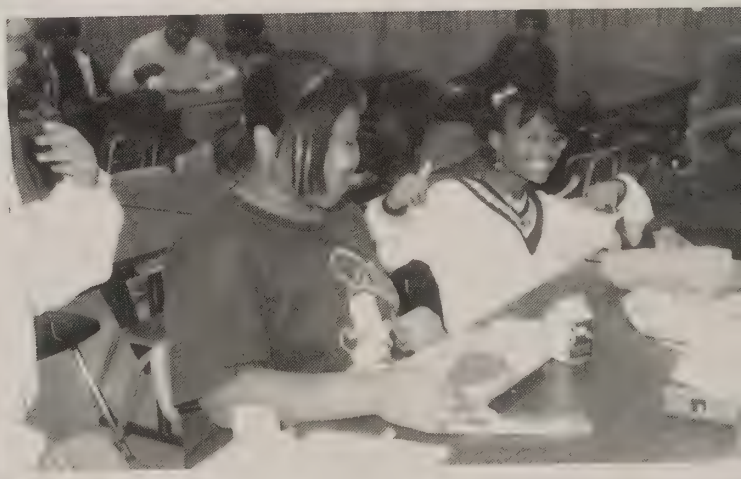


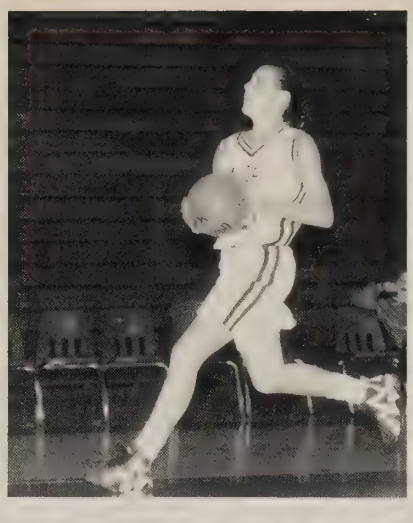


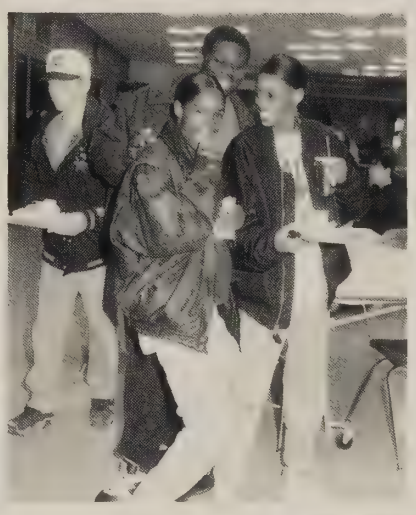


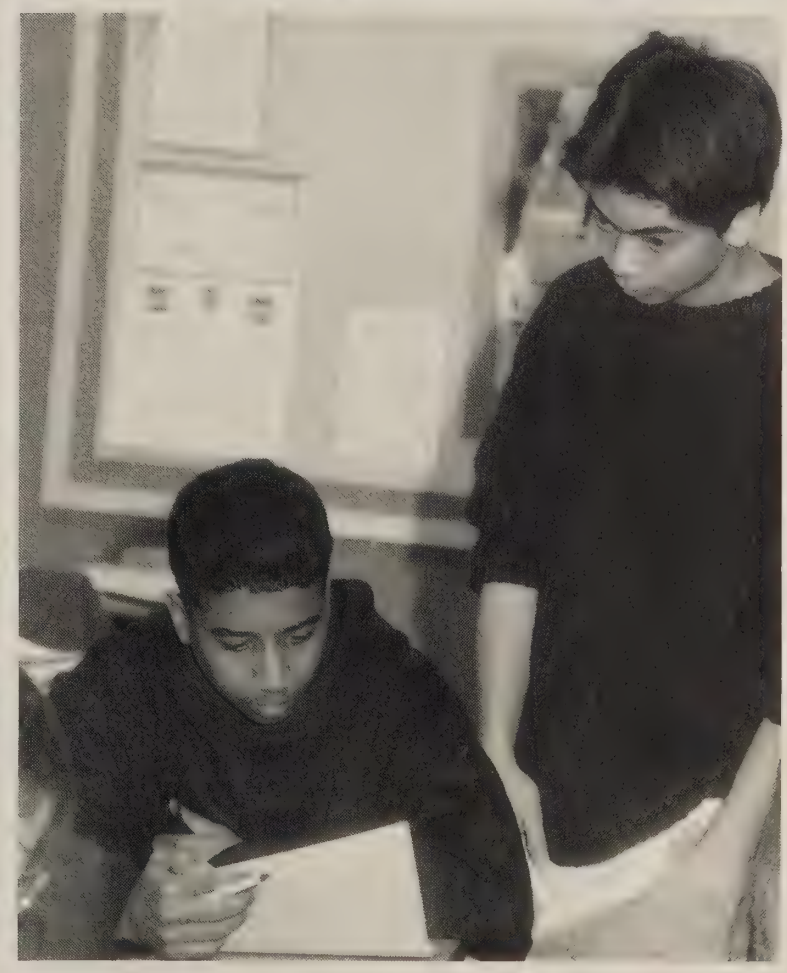












Senior Katie Johnson works diligently on an art project. Katie not only offered her house for use in the construction of the senior class float but participated in a multitude of activities at the school. We commend Katie for her involvement in school activities.

Senior Shaveda Groce hurdles an imaginary object. Such creativity was a must for anyone who wanted to create something to jump over.

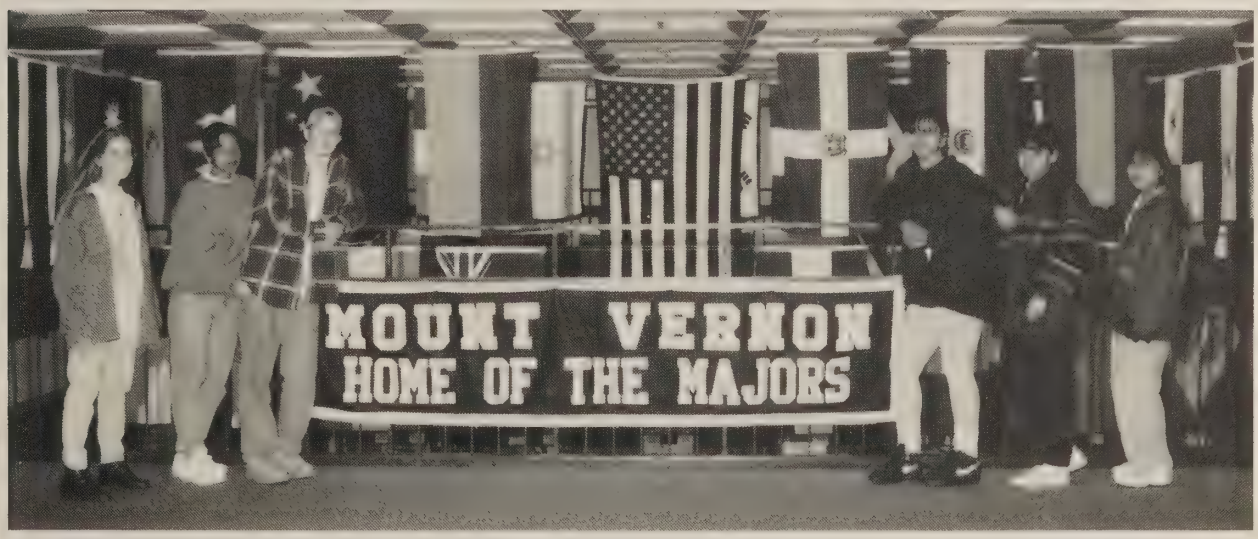
Individuals

Here at Mount Vernon there are many individuals that like to have fun in their own special way. Some play billiards, many hang out Old Town, a lot of students play instruments in bands of some form or another, most participate in a sport sooner or later, and a multitude of diverse entertainment options are readily available. Such things as Q-Zar, ice skating, movie viewing, and sailing absorb time for students.

A great many students travel to the many historical parks and sites in the area. Such locations as Ft. Hunt, Ft. Washington, and Gettysburg attract students on the weekends and holidays.

Every year seniors graduate and shortly after the ceremonies go to the all-night graduation party. The next day is the first day of beach week. Beach week is limited to seniors and a few honored underclassman invited by seniors and voted in by the class as a whole. Most students go to Ocean City and Virginia Beach, and a few go to Nags Head. This is a time of exploring the new found freedom of adulthood.

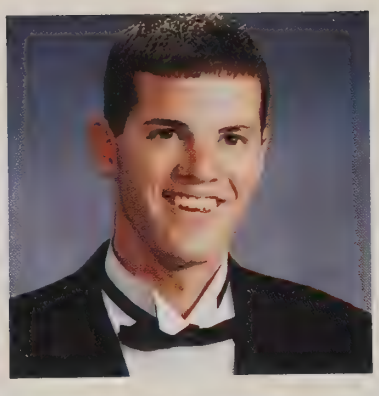
Not only can Mount Vernon students achieve in the classroom but they can preform on their own.

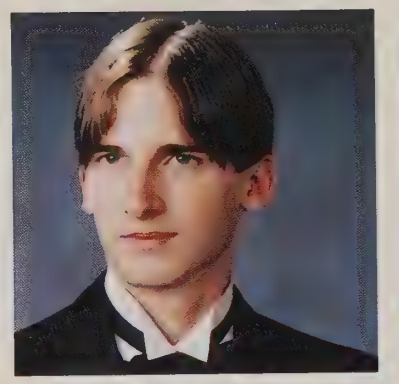


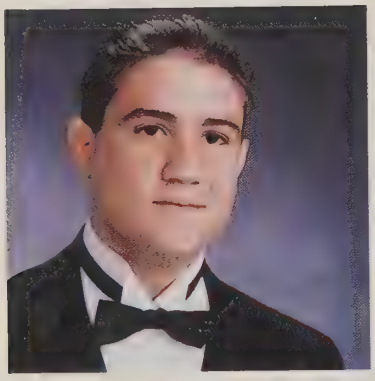
A few Mount Vernon students pose between classes at the flag display that hangs gloriously over the library. This display shows the diversity represented by the students at Mount Vernon High School.

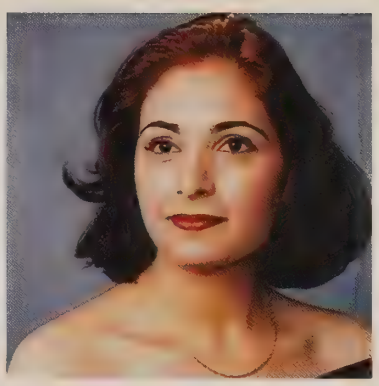
Mount Vernon

Class of 1996









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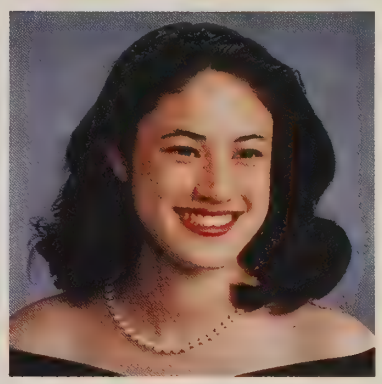

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Boakye, Afua
Boamah, Ernestina

Bordeaux, Laura
Brackner, Heather
Brayboy, Sean
Brooks, Champella

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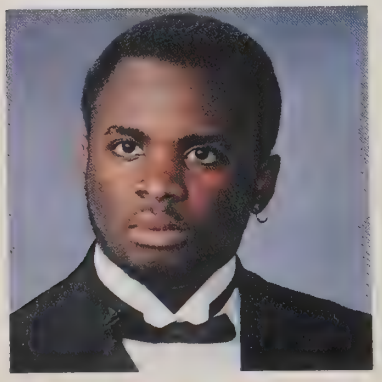
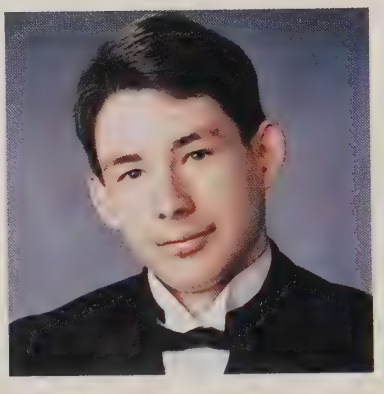
BEST DRESSED

Hyun Joo Park & Sam Navarro

BIGGEST FLIRT

Katy Johnson & Oliver Sharpe





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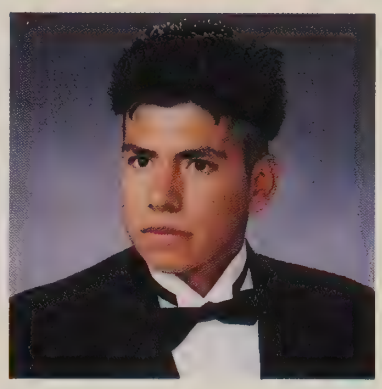

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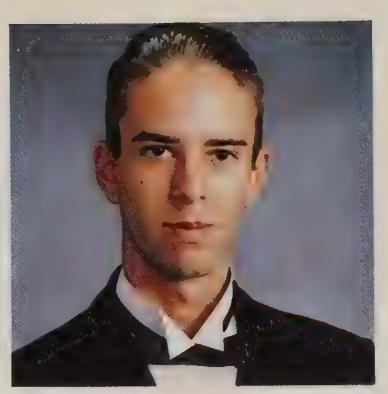
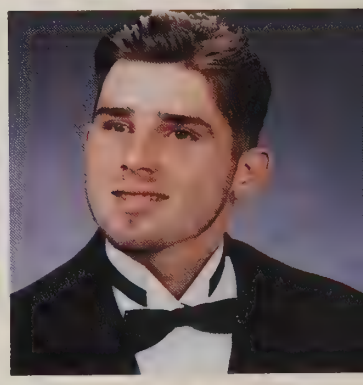
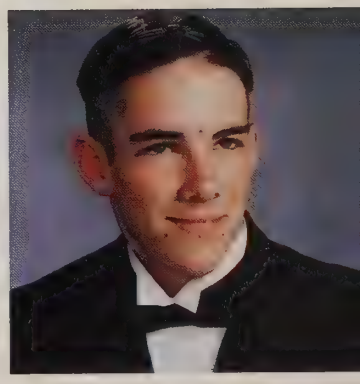
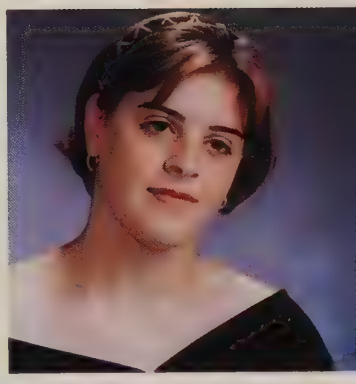
MOST ATHLETIC

Katie Kelly & Pat Langley









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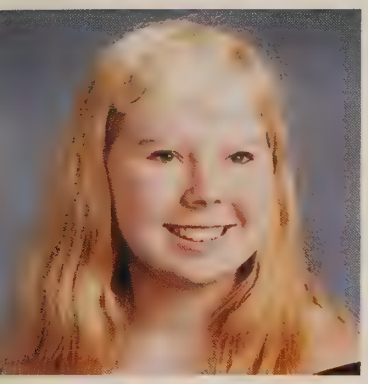

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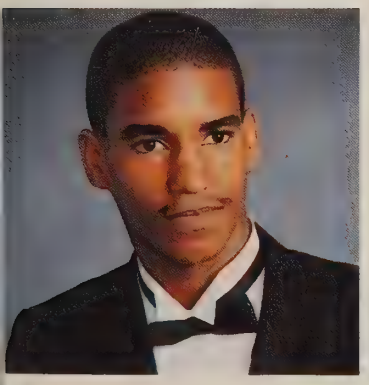

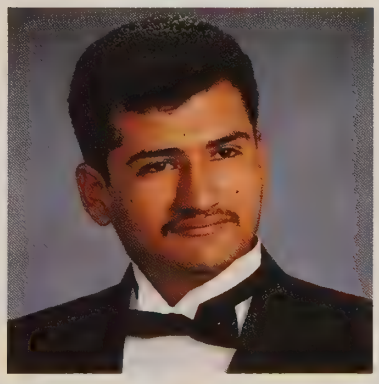

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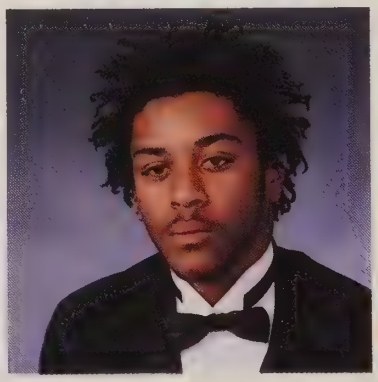

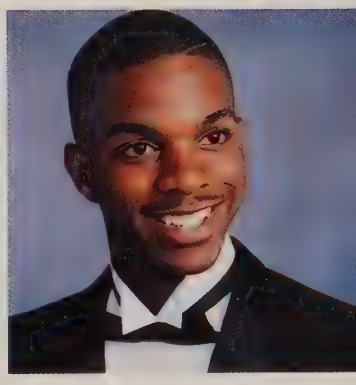

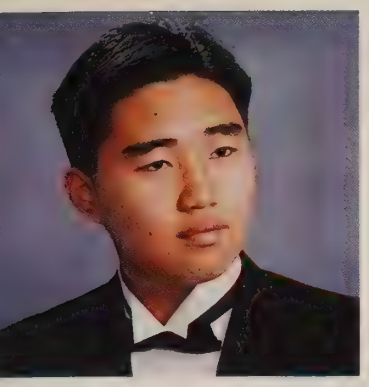
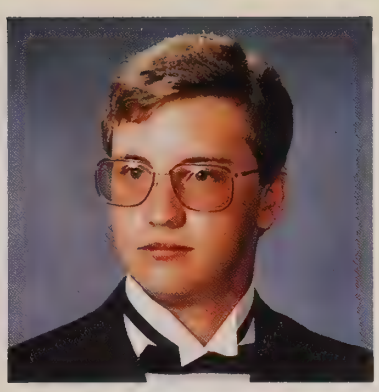

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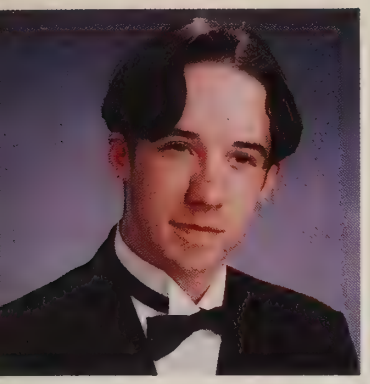

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CUTEST COUPLE

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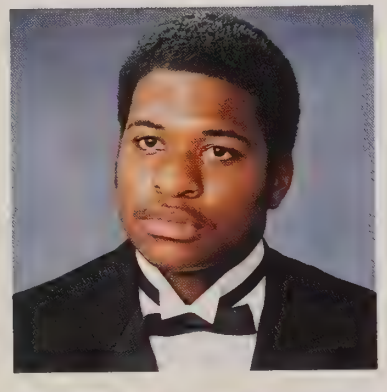

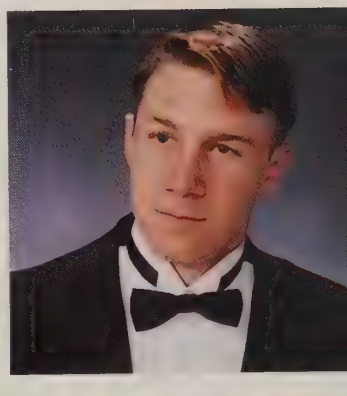

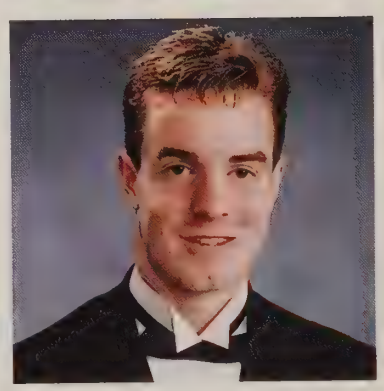

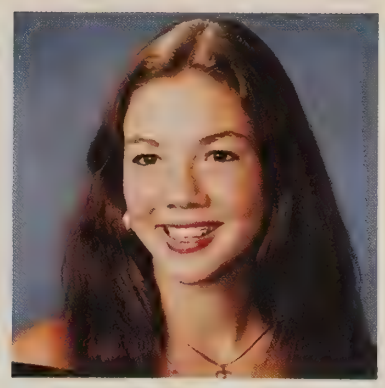
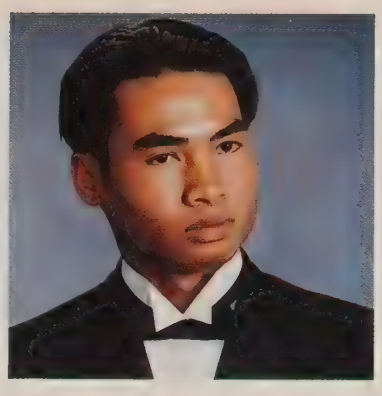

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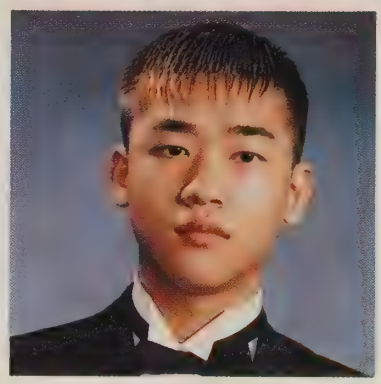

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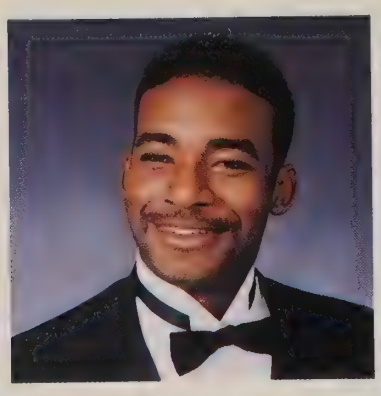
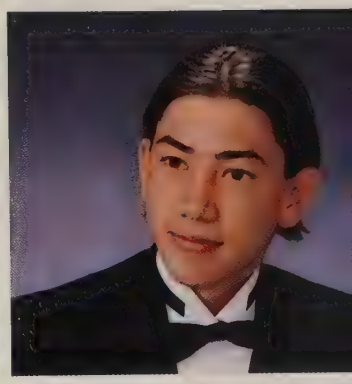
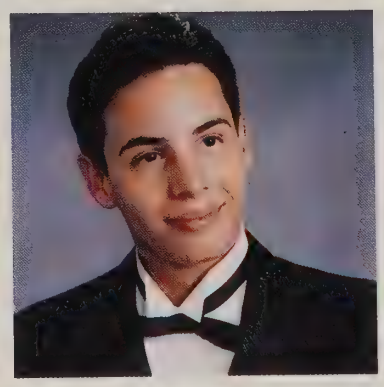
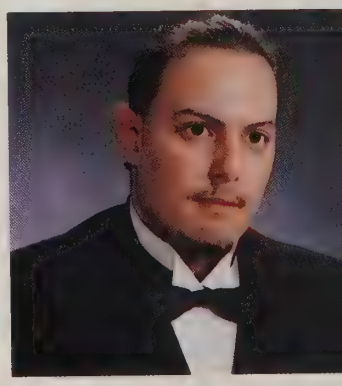
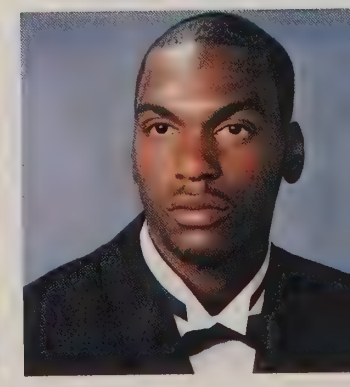
MOST UNIQUE

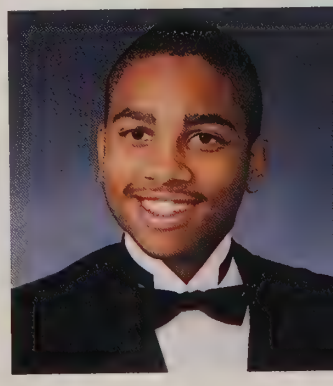












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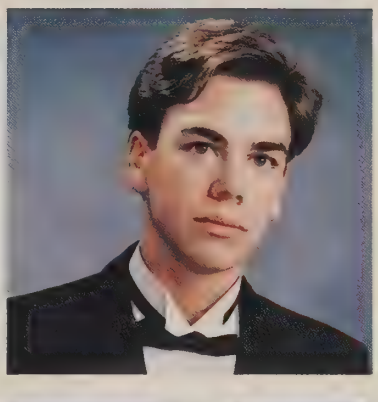

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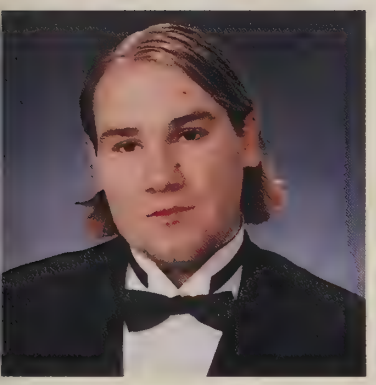

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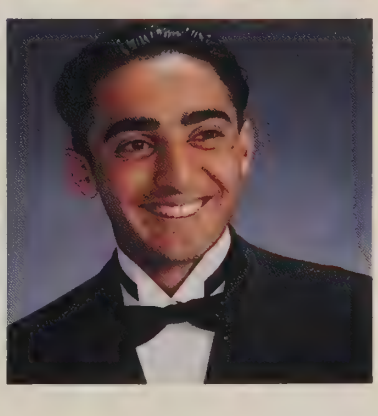

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Abby Mockovak
The 1st, 1st of da month party in my backyard; sleepover at MS's, riding in the Celica w/BG, LW, MS; raunchies; Girls' Night Out w/CB, AS, CD, LW, CC, MA; scavenger hunt on Potomac w/AS, CC; Sunny-D crew; history day w/KH, BL, MS, OS — falling off the bed at 3am; getting lost on 95 with MS, LW; BB on my bed; CF is ATL'in; my little sis HJ; chicken dinners w/DF; AT's advise on clothes; "Stay" w/o FM radio; FN; picnic w/GW, MS; the letter that took a year to write; prom '95 w/MS; chillin' w/CB; ditches; migranes; JC drooling on my bed; female trumpets DJ, GG; lax after school w/TD, LW; MK!; late talks w/BL; to all my best friends — MA — accident scene; CC — for keeping secrets LW — support system; CB — keeping me on track; MS — making me laugh; KN — for everything; OS — all the hours of sleep you gave up

David Ferguson
Soccr Rules; Farmr Cwbys be frnds; Abe & Dave Boyz 4evr Scavengr Hunt; Capture Flag; Free-Mumia J; Bullts W/Greg & Abe; My Dad Snkng in Wite Zombi; Mads Retreat Dnny's Stdy Grp; Poster Night; CMK Abby BIT & E.ME; Surfs up at pep-Rally; Fake Prom; Craig H; Mom & Mark No Shrt Lab; It's Acdmc; Cow Tppng Chickn Nuggt Dy; Race — 12; TOK Nite 1 of Month; Ms. W "Paint The Fence" I'll Never Forget You Shae B-Ball W/my Boyz & My Dream; Learn; This Line Is For All The Ladies! Bo!!!!; 96 JIPPED; MV — Always Young

Christine Brophy
For all my closest friends over the years: AS, LW, AM, MS, CC, CN, KH, CD, HU, GW, OS, SF, DJ, CB, KJ, JR, etc. Good luck & nvr 4get raunchies, intgrtd posse, big butts club, ftbll plyng, yrs is based on silva, seven, LAX, big one smll one, st**ke, PP heart, B&R crew, ghetto stuff, grls nights out summers, JMU trips, Taco Lucas runs phat beats, after school chillin, 4leafclvrs, true colors, crappn fool aftr hrs, prtty fairy-grls, K&O probs my sweet angel boy I love you MDS forever . . .

Kristen Markman
Flags 2,3,4: luv u all, good luk nxt yr! Tanx JB 4 let me hlp w/WCG! YRBK 3,4: AP & JS TR 1,2,3,4: TW we outie! * P&T: BW * RHCP: BW * Live: BL, WN, JH, CB, LG *REM: BW, AS, LL *DMB: BW, FL, LL — good times! Yes, I a GS! Frnds gone: E, B, D, C. Frank keep lookin 4 U-FO's (flying space trash?!?) Brett (1 yr. +) I luv u 4ever, bug. MAFIA BOY. Frnds 4evr: L, C, A, K, A, J, J, L, C, B, F, A, S&L! OO' baldrp: LCAA: spring Break — my place! K.B.: BW, CB, MP, FL, WN, GG. Waldorf, MD — how far from home? JB's house — time, 8:00 am. "HI" 2 the Ones I Left Out!

Brett Weisbeck
A long time ago in a galaxy far, far away . . .
Things to remember:
FL — Dave, Gary, Mike-er, many grlfrnds PHS — band, 7-11, chineese food, WGI — SAT nights Christine — Best Female Friend — OH — Good Times!!! VA — Kristen, Fopie, umm . . . man theres a lot of you band — drumline — You know that part . . . It's Hosed!!! concerts — DMB, RHCP, REM — mr bungle all d way Its the end of the world as we no it and I feel fine Kristen — blck bstr nights, Fopies frnds r brwn + rd MP — hmcmng 93, JH — Moofuhkah I'll kik u in d hd CB — sqrm like a bug, LL — terridaktle — dmn my ears Ali — the pizza is ded. Pixelle — I need some ginseng HU — w/y/m/m, bio + chem, DB, CD thank you all blizzard of 96 (brr it was cold) trapped at kristens The gray torpedo — it dont get stuck . . . it gets delayed wheres the food JO — 27 porkchops + a bottle of BOOM — whts tht smell? Fopie Claus gts all d gifs Go speed racer — Go Go speed racer!, gumpty, guam hunk of fetta, froth, fling the jing. (not in the eye) Im a little pea, I like d sky + d trees . . . Fopies small
Things to forget:
troubled times w/km, gossip, 8/8/94, Anna 92-94 balls lost in the woods, MVI, the nite I dont rmbr
Things to never forget:
all the good times w/km, closer! January 1, 1995 KRISTEN — I'll always love you till the end of time friends . . . love ya all! squeeze me macaroni

Elizabeth Doris Buckley
You were so much younger Hard to explain that we are stronger — DMB Remember green M&M's, roses, C.C. — Big Red, 1s b.f. "on top of the driveway . . ." J.S. — cha right, as if, you know, How's P.H? R.J? b ball & soccer anytime, 2 Timebuktu? T.D — b-ball: did we try or R we good? Ego What ego? Watch that left turn! Been there done that. 10/7/94 — Grist Mill under stars w/D.J. & S.S. Winning Districts '95. H.P. — it's been interesting. "I don't skip school HEStival '95. Grad day '95 w/B.C. Chillin w/Kara, I'm older. B.D. — Shawshank "No Woman, No Cry" "We need a what? C yeah, I forgot." Part A, Part B? Homecom ing '95 w/B.D., T.D., B.T. "I'm going to marry him, but he doesn't know yet." Crimson Tide, Wizard of Oz, What's a bugaboo? Pressed over: J.G., .B.B., P.H. C.N., S.N., B.D., & esp. -.-. (still am "You've got a face w/a view." Forgot: THE FORT HUNT INCIDENT! M.P. w/T.D. Date w/W.N. or was it w/C.S, B.C, T.D N.H, A.S, J.A? Dissed by A. "Goodnight Elizabeth."

Tiffany Hawkins
B.K.A: TIFF "MISS ATTITUDE" Thing 2 remember: 4 years went so fast beging wil my girls you know who you are: One no here with me that's Nicole: Angel, Jenice Yodit, Abby, Tia, Sida, Melody, Tekedra and Mrs. Brown Hanging with the "Fellas" My Baby: Tray crazy Sean, Orlando, Bernard, and David. 2 teacher's I didn't like don't forget me you know who you are. I like 2 say Thank You 2 all the people who help me. Peace Out don't forget me. See Ya C/O "96"

Mark Southworth
'll remember: L.W J.L. C.B. B.G. A.M. G.W. K.N. B.H. K.K. D.F. M.A. G.G. L.B. D.J. M.A. A.S. my boy W.G. J.A. D.M. D.S. B.L. S.K. sunny d crew, risk, all the shows J.P. S.D. A.A. function drag fests, chef pacoo, M.C. painting the fence, 11th grd spanish class, scavenger hnt and my babygirl who i love with all my heart.
'll forget: everyone else. XXX FOREVER

Delia Elizabeth Racines
— Dely lil' dogg, coolbreez. nites out w/ WA, SS, DT, JH, CC, MM — bst frnds agrl could evr hv. thnx 4 all yr patience. JH & MM — brkck, KD, Chad grnicing. Oops, 1 way st. WA — is tht yr bro? Prom 95. Yes, 've got clothes on! Whatevr, platanos, yelw, grt day, clif! Jst atay in th wnd. E? DT. Mt 'em. MS — sniff. Bubls. bst frnd in th wrld. Vgs cops. Hngry any1? CC & DT — lst I can rd. NPB — my hubbie. I lvu grndma, I did it 4U. I'm outta here!! 96

Christina Marie Short
Chris, Fissy, Chrissy
Remember: Friends past & present WU: U were the greatest, thanx 4 your help w/ everything, WAP, Taco Bell, Skinny dippin' 93. SM: 10 yrs., Be — Fri. JM: Shotgun & the Go-Go chain. MSL: DD & Dyslexia. MS2: Hotel & snow fight. WP gang: Stratford, "nofiddies." DS: My twin & best friend, 4-get BA 4 now. KO & JB: Pitchecks & Chamber SD: I luv U more, Amor vincit omnia honey, your backyard w/MJ. MB w/LG & JD! Powder Puff. WC, Me and the "Dave Incident" (nuff said). TW: Q-me, Stop the uglines RT: U broke my heart. To Forget: SM Chambers, Immature people — Marriage Project, MD: 'm sorry, I still love you!!, Districts 95-96 Laringitis.

Pat Langley
"Slanky," "Prevert"
To Remember: CR's porch 93 & 94, First "J" 93. Riverwood Beach, MV Manor park, HIGHS, Oxen Hill. Too many court dates, 94. I Smell @$*$#! Beast again?!? Dry seasons Wet seasons always carry an Umbrella. Pork n Beans! Beach Week 95, BD, who was that girl last night? Tastes like chicken smells like fish! Pink Taco Posse, DV, JR, BD. Love, the best and worst times of life. KB 94. If your happy and you know it . . . Jack, Jim, John mans best friends. B day 96 thanx for the party, JP, DW, BD. MMMOOOOOOO! To all those that left me here, CR, SP, KB, JC, LG, thanks a lot. I'm in love with you Mary J. Waiting on beach week 96. Class of 96 we do it better backwards! To JL + ML, a legacy has been put forth by CL, and I. Crooked I's and Crazy Horse = one rough night. 4 yrs baseball, 4 yrs b-ball, 4 yrs golf, 3 yrs party" n', and one in AA. TO FORGET: Week one fresh. yr., Fall 94, nights at HIGHS & searches in 203. And all da perpatrators and easy cheese.

Audrey Williams
tennis, trak, drma, frnds — BP, DL, ED, MK, BH, AR, JL, BB, LR, LW, JW, CW, LG, HM, **BK. 9**" Bethany, the chickens choking! "Micheal, your a sweetie. **10** OC W/ED, Radar, G+J. NY vis 2 BP — CL, BB, DB, NG — ZAP! Tod & Wil **11** Destination Nywhere — LR, AR, KM, KM, MF, BF, KF, CW, BRETT! Hmcomng W/LG & JB — parkway. **12** CB off my hair! doubling W/CW & EA. SNOW! Movie nts Den, Angie, Bethany, Erin, your gr8 friends. Brett, your the best, luv ya. Drama family — I'll miss you! — TM, SW. JW — Look at the ketchup! Good luck next year everyone!

LaShonda Renea Maxfield
Shonda, Babydoll, LaQuita, Pocohantas Marching Band — 4 long, exhausting years Integrated posse — CB, LW, HU; Clarinet by nature, Weapon by choice; BOAx2 — Not the Ponderosa again! Seniors — "Ode to my band" Florida — Dinner Cruise, Love Boat, or both? Ghetto Corner — AC, HU, AS — meeting June 12 during graduation on the stage; LC — Roll Call! JV Lacrosse — "Big Papa;" Drill Team — AP, KW Class President — 2 years to never forget HU — my Hawaiian twin, JH — "Twin" Prom '94 w/TD — Adventure in Richmond JM & HU — Doubletree, Adventure World, Applebee's, & Lisa Lobe Prom '95 w/EA — a night full of adventure "Breath Holly" — Who's fault was it anyway? Kings Dominion w/QN, HU, EA, A. Wise, & JL — Thanks for driving HU 5-7-9 Window models — Never again!! Cliffy — thanks for being such a sweetheart AP & CM — Spring Break '95 was a lot of fun AW — Where to begin? I should've kept my promise to you. I'll keep you close to my heart There's a thin line between friendship & love Best of luck to the Class of 1996 — "If we fill our hours with regrets over the failures of yesterday, & with worries over the problems of tomorrow, we'll have no today in which to be thankful."

Sam Navarro
Seniority — Can u feel it? B-n shadow of Bros. Orig crew: JT SS, DS, SN. Events nvr 2-4get: DA Night — "Y M I Driving." Up cls + prsnl w DT. Lways in my head CC — Wack! Thanx 4 advice DJ — U — all — knowin' 007. Brothr JT — Take Care. Scvnger Hunt w/evrybdy. Concerts: Crnbrrs GrnDy w/SS, DT, KD, SS. Thanx Ms. P 4 being there. B-ball w OS, DF, GW, Homecoming. First time 4 evryting — Denny's — Savana, Scott. U2 + Tenis = Life

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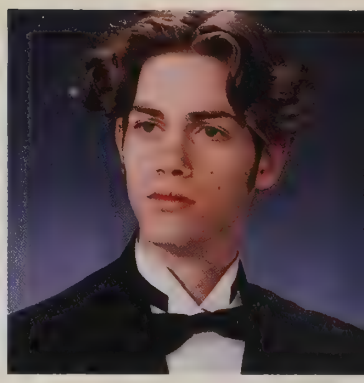

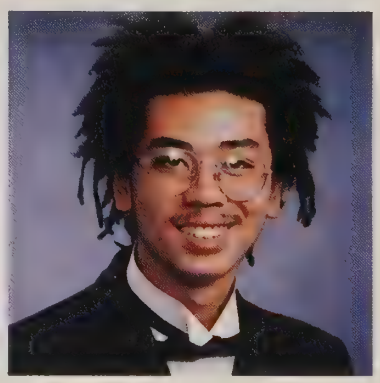
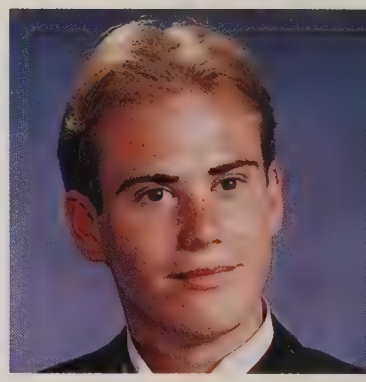

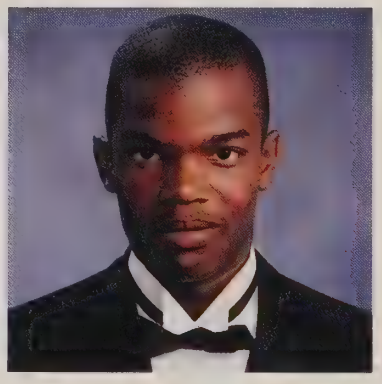

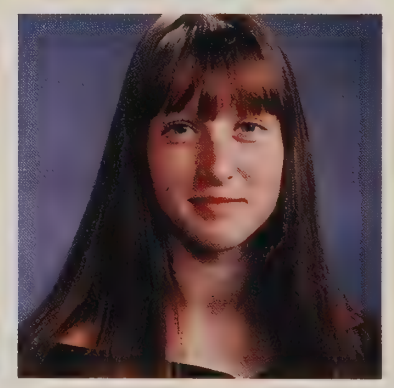

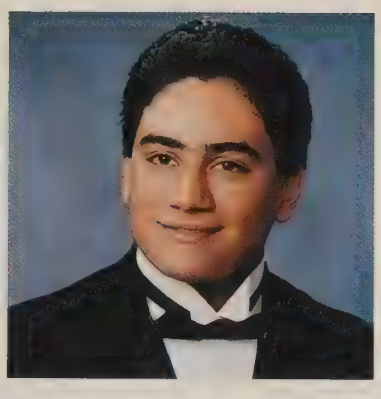

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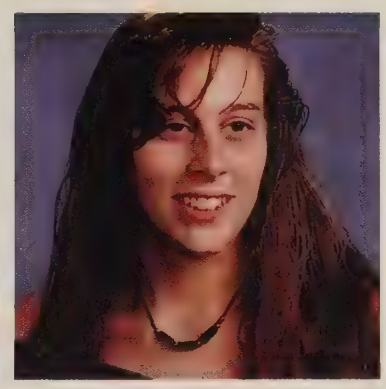

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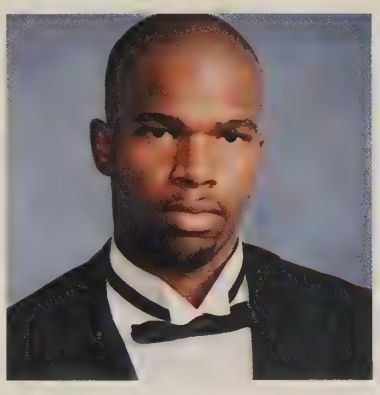

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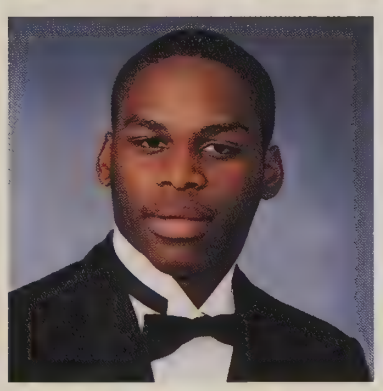

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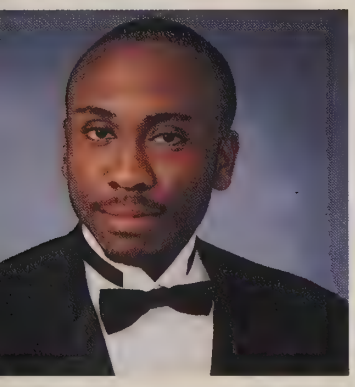

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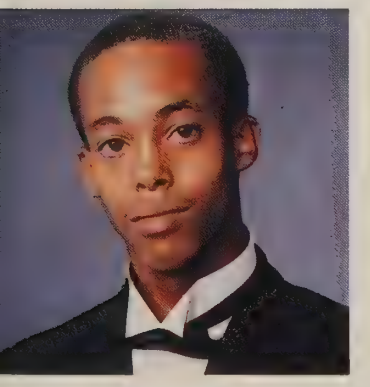

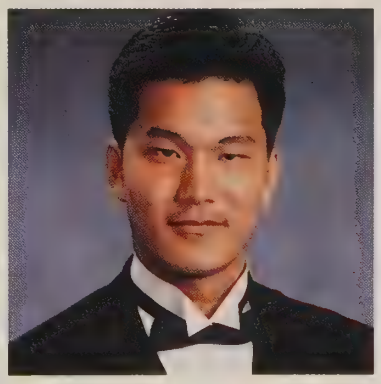

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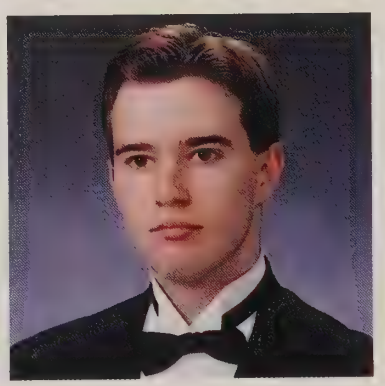

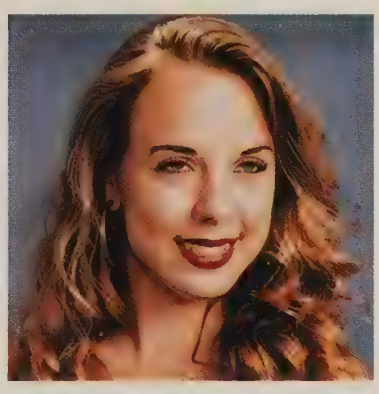

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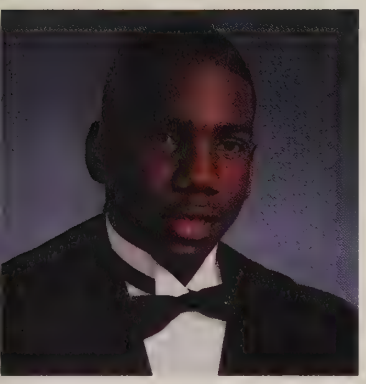
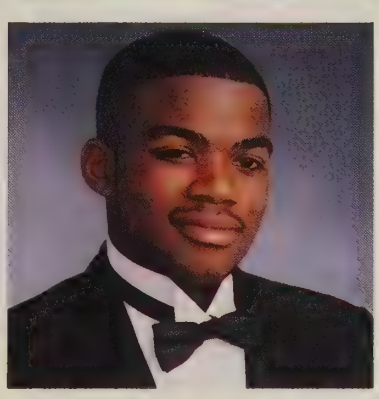

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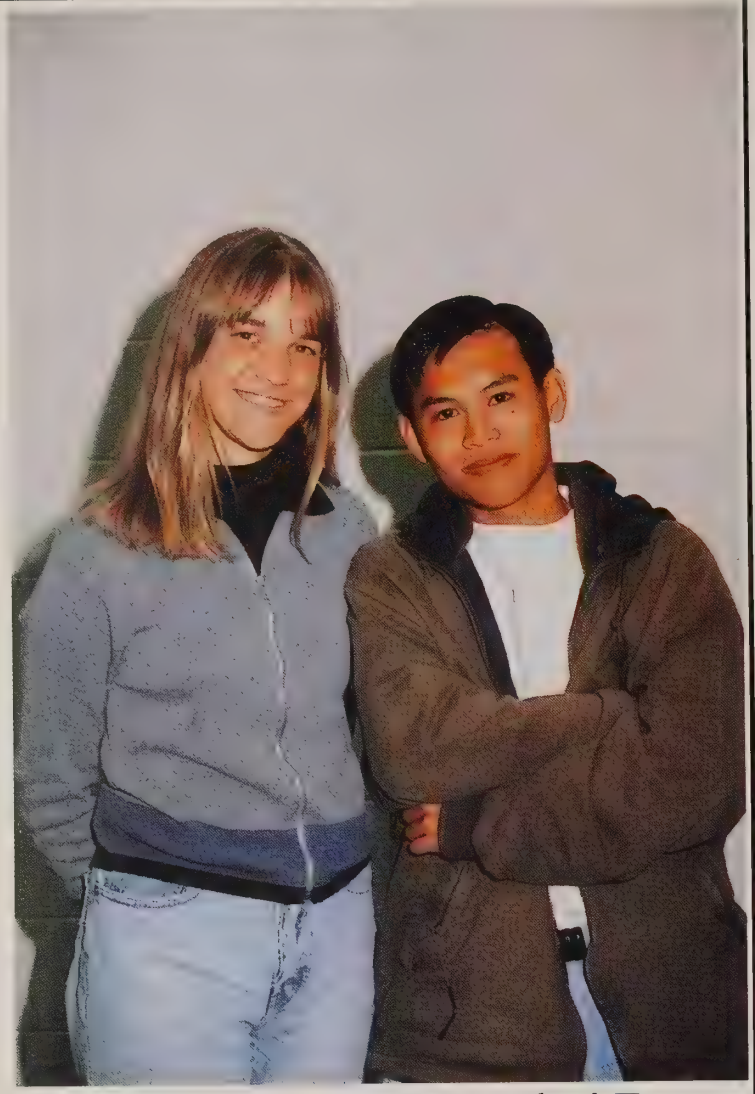

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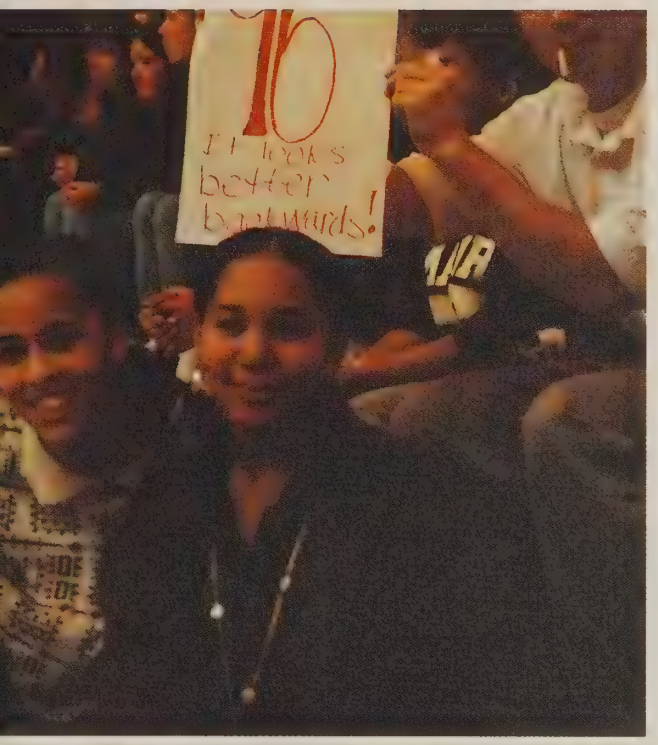

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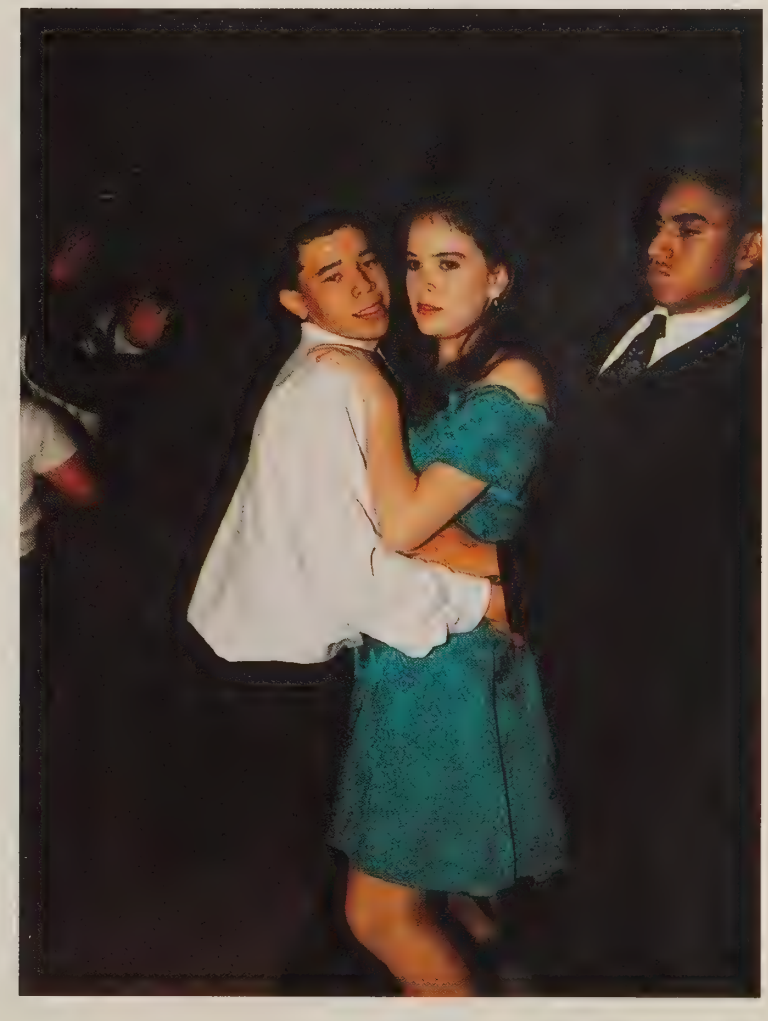


Smile Seniors, Yo

u're in Candids!

Saurin Shah
Memories To Remember
Thanks for always b-n there Hallie. Chillin w/ the crew last year — HB, LB, BK, JS, BG, MF & anyone else. All the movie nights. Gettin lost goin to Jeff., wBK. 1st concert . . . TMB Giants w/HB, LB, BK. HFS — tival w/DJ, LW, BG, TD, BB. B-Boys w/BL. Earth Day w/DJ, BK Rage w/DJ, BK, SS, BH, CG, BG. Senior Skip Weekend @ SS's. C-ing Coolio w/DJ, BK. Tom Petty w/DJ, BK. C-ing Green Day w/DT, SN, SS, KD. Chillin w/the crew this year — SN, SS, DJ, DS, JT, CC, LW, DT. Bliz-O-96 sledding. Makin Videos w/SS, SN. Talkin all of those nights to HB. Goin to Millsaps. Mrs. Snider — thanks for everything. Mrs. Rivecco. Playing B-Ball w/SN, DJ. "Tiiiiggggghhhht." "Sam, do the monkey!"
Memories to Forget
8/1/95 w/AM, SN, & DF in the car. Weezer — oh I forgot.

Tomieka D. Brown
Meeka, Bullett, Sunshine
Memories to remember:
Mr. Ballistio and the lethargic lackeys. Peaches, you playin' wit your life. AGNC (just had to use the whole name) you been a great friend. Good luck in the army. NM, don't forget you friends. YP, DC, RR, next year, it will be your turn, hopefully The BBC crew — VM, YP, DC, AP, SR, RJ, KA, and the rest. Get Some Business DJD, and stop rudtlin' papers and stuff (did those rocks and twigs taste good?). DKD, you are not really a lunchbox. I like your laugh.
Memories to Forget:
All the people that I didn't like. All the teachers that got on my nerves, you know who you are. To everyone else, GOD BLESS YOU!!!
Be ye followers of God as
dear children.
Ephesians 5:1

Christie Lauryn Chapman
("Dorcas" "Sparky" "the beef" "Morticia") KD w/JM, MV; LD SP "sorry" haiku; cornflakes; driving into pole (MV JL BC); "Escape;" passing out in typing; Halloween 95; free Herman's Hermits concert; Central Park; "Hillbilly R&J;" fire drill in 70s clothes; bat sounds in front of Timster; comp books; "Womanly Art of Self-defense" pics.

Jennifer Bauer
Smmr Skool '94 — car alarm at McDnlds & Angela, "Are you going to eat that?"
Liz — movie bud, rmbr wrong trun onto I-95?
Kris 10 — driving w/o licences, McDnlds brkfst in J's class
JH — Beachweek '94: Rob!!! & ditching HM JJ, AW, KO, MA, AR: FLOUR PWR!! SN — Crockpot! Dr. Seuss
CS * KO — Pitcheck! Flying rats under doors & in piano.
CW — Sorry.
Autumn — 21 all niters for IB. Finished your Extnd essay yet? — Neither have I.
Anna — Change the music in your car & thanx for letting me drive it.
Erin — FLOOD!!!!!!!!
AH — Rat tails & kids getting sick all over you.
SS — Thanx for always being there. Luv you!
Mom, Dad, Eddie, & Carrie — I love you all so much.

Angela Reed
Likes: Elephants, Drama (tech has more fun), BOOKS
Dislikes: F.P. (drama people should know Always remember Destination Anywhere — chicken fights & marriages. Never use a pint thinner in latex. C.B. — I saw the Femmes and I hate white bread. I may never get around to cutting my hair. A.W. L&G I will read it one of these days, mexicans, drink adventures. B.W. — sledding, tall snowmen, mexican soda I will never forget you! B.F. — what happened to our plan? K.F. — you are trying to look like Margaret aren't you C.R. don't do too much to my room, two down J.L. my freshman slave — boop! M.K. — loved your party, chem, my cooking, I am not as crazy as you think. To the family: keep it going forever, I will have to put my will in a different place. Due to the renivation and all. K.M. & L.R. you are great daughters! Everyone remember the movie nights and always watch a brat pack movie to remember me. I love you all!

Janette L Cline
Memories to Remember: CY at prom and everywhere else, Felicia and John, Meghan and ?, Anita and TR Football, Basketball, Track. Memories to Forget: Anita and OM Felicia and MM, Coach Riddley, Coach Jones, Trip up bleachers, Thanks for everything Mom and Dad Hope FC, AR, MF, the Best
I LOVE YOU CHANG YI (Bubba)!!!!

ranklin Lamberth III
KA — Fopie, Fopie Dupiter, UFO, Pooh ear, LazyBoy
ctivities: Band 1-4, Baseball 1-3, track 1
Iemories: Boom in Closet, Summer of '95 .W. "Me & Frankie had the same sandvich." SpringBreak '95 MAP, Kings Dominion 1st time remember ride home. eaching LoLo useful stuff, "Look its a JFO not a piece of trash floating in space." **JFO** remember that! Marines — J.M., 1st oncert DMB, Trip to Morgantown w/C.B. B.W. Chilitos! Denny's after band picures w/J.H. & B.W. "Chicken!" Senior Iight 1&2 Sardines, Lemon Juice, Orange /Peel taste good, huh, LoLo? Lazy Girl .M. never Forget the Gang: B.W., K.M., .B., J.H., M.P., L.L.
Iore Memories: Insanely Hot Sauce, Don't ry Charlie! B.W. you fling your jing too uch, sqrt her in the eye. Dmn #4 Brett mlls like cheese! Bskn Rbns on a bke & cooter then to Ft. Blvoir. Ride to awy gm hwing off mag. LoLo tht's why we took our prts. I'll never forget you Mieko! I'll alvays love you! Rmber the good times. rissi say Hi to Flow for me! Never Frgt: .G., A.M., M.M., S.Y., C.G., & L.N. Frgt ad times w/Mieko, listening to cd.

Ialisa Danyell Stinnett
hings 2 remember: Bch '95, 96 NY w/CJ, W. Meeting SF. Hmcmg '93 w/CJ, JW, RT, F, CH. Hmcmg '95 w/MS, KS, BF, RF, TG, H, NH.
W — Sorry about the fights, I still luv u!
B — u r so crazy! I'll miss U!
R What were we fightn' over? Early ornin runs to DD's.
Iey, party over here. Belly button ring, Ouch! Luv ya!
R — Thanx 4 SF, Bch '95, sorry about last ummer Miss Ya! MS — There's so much 2 ay. U R my bst frnd! Prom '96, hmcmng /the twins, shp'n, we have a thing 4 F's. IS Crew rules!
Iemories 2 forget: Fights w/CJ, JW, TG, R, LC, JR, SF. Prom '95 Party at SS (MS vere busted)
o my family, I luv U guys
NF — Thanx 4 always being there. U R a rt. frnd. I'll miss U! Luv U 4-ever!
F — U mean so much to me. I don't know vhat I'd do w/o U! I love U more than anyhing in this world! Here's to more good imes together! I luv U!

Christy Carlson
Drivin the boat, screwdrvr, stck in snw TD wn't kill ya — S. Hnt w/AM AS — Run, cops, hde, the cone — CB LW AS MB Man at wndw, $14 food, inv strng — BR Roaches? CD WP Guys Where's chair? In trck SS/SN — M@M at wndw, snkg out door, no coffee, flwr, SN — Dn't knw! HC 95, Still wack — DF NY Eve, OT dnr — OS 4th grade Val, Bg crush — DR/DT Blzd, frk at D's — DJ Apollo 13 — SS HC Dc AP Miss you, JR Burnt Bagels Guys (SS, SN, SS, DS, DT) Slding Am I one of gys yet? — NH Fan clb (Sorry I cheated) AM Grl talks, call when I get mrrd — AS Physics — CB Summer 95 Lft at hm — KH 8th grd crush BC94 drugs? C's got em — CD/AS 7-11 in truck, nice outfits, CK competing Luv ya — BB Pecker, On tp of drvwy, mk-up, brd made? — Old dys w/AS CB AM MB DM JA BC — One swt dy w/Mad gys — Ck SD Mus. Strippers? My family — I love you — I'll miss getting around pinned by my little brothers. C always wins

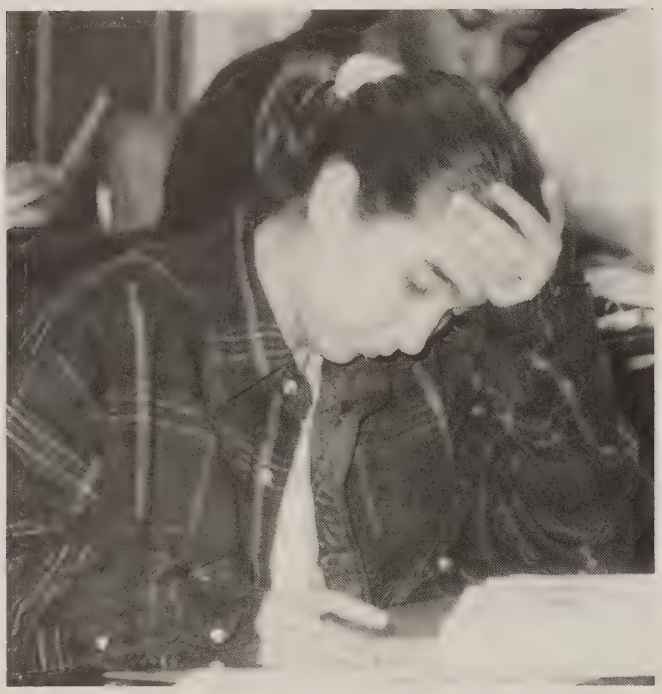
Kelly Celena Osborne
"Kelly O"
Ftbl Games; Varsity Swim team 4 yrs (500 yd Free YUCK!; Shave downs MB, CB, RF, AM, SB, MM, BF — smokes, SA & LH — STOP HONKING!, AC — EXORCIST, Menage trois/ KM & BP — "smile" "Free Willy;" Prom 94, 95 w/JO; ED = FLOOD; JB — "Guys have?;" Surprise 16 @ Chi Chi's; Chambers 2 yrs (CS, JM, HC, FC, JJ, MA, LUU; "Pit Checks") Powder Puff 95 — "Flour Power!;" Big Snow 94, 96; Virgils (HU, JM, MD, KM, LD, "Blue Million" "Dido said, All men go to Eades!," stercus) "IB-N-IB;" BEATLES!
Thanks Ali & Tori. I wouldn't have made it without you.
Kristen, Holly & Amanda — I will miss you most.
Mom & Dad — Thanks for all of the love and support. I love you.
Good luck & best wishes to the Class of 96.
I'm off to LONGWOOD!

Jeremy L. McLaughlin
"I will laugh forever!!"
band trips — myrtle beach, florida BOAx2, the poderosa again?? thanx Mr. E. for everything!! La Quinta Inn, clarinets 95-96!! L.M. uh oh summer 94, applebees, prom 95, did she say the T word? DOUBLETREE H.U. — S.A.M.A.S., my co everything these years can be summed up one way, IMPEACHMENT!! good luck at Tech! J.M. lunchbox, Homecoming 94 lady in red, donkey horse banana frog, LC. 38DD summer 94, do you feel it?? break it down!! E.M. your lunchin joe!! B.W. aafes, the hill, "I need milk" JAMBO C.C. M.V.T. and L.D., A.C (prom 95) J.W. (library) A.P. squid, A.G. A.T., Jen, my bestest friend, mary wanna be, cape cod — shop therapy, Wyatt Erp, Prom 95 CLENCH!!! thanx for all the times 17 31707 1, C-KA caught in the snow with R.T, E.F, and M.C, M.C. "we're going skiing" this ones coming to you pooter cloud!

Going The Distance

Juniors look to '97

The class of '97 is hard at work trying to reach senior status. Choosing classes, Preparing for SAT's, and looking at colleges are just a few of the things these students are doing. Many of the juniors are playing sports to help keep up the tradition of Mt Vernon. Some are working to make extra money for college and others taking IB coures to cut down on college Exspences. It will all be over soon enough and only the memeries will remain.



Hard work is the only way out !

Donald Hicks has met his match.

Nick Harvey gives some advice to some underclassmen.

Jennifer Purdy welcomes everyone to Mt Vernon.

The junior class provided the leadership for a successful game

Mr Brown has someting to say.

Shae tries to climb out of the 11th grade.

Ablott, Trevor
Acosta, Randall
Ady, Mary
Ahmed, Nabeel
Alarcon, Jaimy
Alvarado, Austin
Alvarez, Victoria
Amaya, Jose
Arias, Jose
Asif, Mohammad
Atash-Sobh, Manijeh
Atkins, Trevor
Baden-Mayer, Joanna
Baig, Christopher
Bailey, Caa-Si-Eki
Barlow, Melissa
Barnette, Evelyn
Barnette, Jerome
Barrie, Karen
Beadles, Brandy
Begley, Nancy
Bender, David
Bends, Ellisha
Berg, Meghan
Blough, Belinda
Boggs, Wayne
Bonner, Cameron
Boyce, Carrie
Boyd, Kevin
Bradley, Sharon
Bresnahan, Shaun
Brewer, Zackery
Bridgeman, William
Bridley, Patina
Broka, Danielle
Brown, Elizabeth
Brown, Erica
Brown, Jawan
Buchholz, Jeannette
Burton, Akil
Burzynski, Jennifer
Buthelezi, Percy

Carmichael, Andrew
Carter, Robert
Cecil, Charisse
Chang, Kyung-Woo
Chao, Vivian
Chapman, Caprisha

Chase, Patricia
Choi, Mike
Clark, Carl
Clark, Kevin
Clarke, Carla
Clarke, Nathan

Clay, Barrie
Cluca, Eric
Clymer, Alix
Coates, Lacante
Coffman, Charles
Cole, Pricilla

Compton, Nicole
Convery, Daniel
Cronin, Sarah
Cuevas, Brett
Davis, Jonathon
Daza, Evelyn

Deburr, Martin
Decamp, Adam
Dejesus, Demares
Denapoli, Marah
Dixon, Charles
Domdom, Rosalyn

Donald, Astra
Donchatz, Amy
Donchatz, David
Donkor, Joyce
Douglas, Kera
Drake, Donald

Dubravac, Shalee
Dunbar, Muarice
Duncan, Robert
Dunn, Khaliha
Duong, Duc
Edwards, Roddney

Ellis, Erin
Elmore, Darrick
Evans, Kristina
Fadden, Brigid
Fadden, Kathleen
Farag, Jamilah

Fields, David
Finnigan, Christian
Fisher, Brooke
Fisher, Clark
Fitzhugh, Angela
Fontaine, Brian

Fontaine, Russell
Ford, Jermaine
Fowler, Melanie
Fox, Elizabeth
Frady, Kelly
Funinan, Anthony

Gabriel, Eric
Gannom, Billy
Garcia, Santos
Gargus, Eric
Gibson, Christina
Gillard, Rebecca

Gooch, Larivia
Goodwin, Dawn
Greaves, Aaron
Griffith, Paulianda
Ha, Chau
Hamilton, Rashelle

Hanley, Catherine
Hare, Christopher
Harewood, Tasha
Harmer, Sean
Harris, Ann
Harvey, Nicholas

Hazzard, Toyette
Heinzel, Maximillian
Hicks, Donald
Hingle, Jessica
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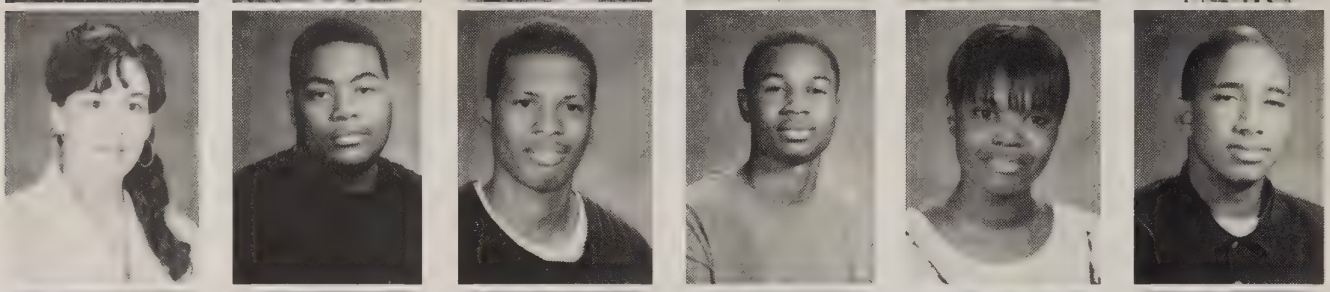
Huynh, Oanh



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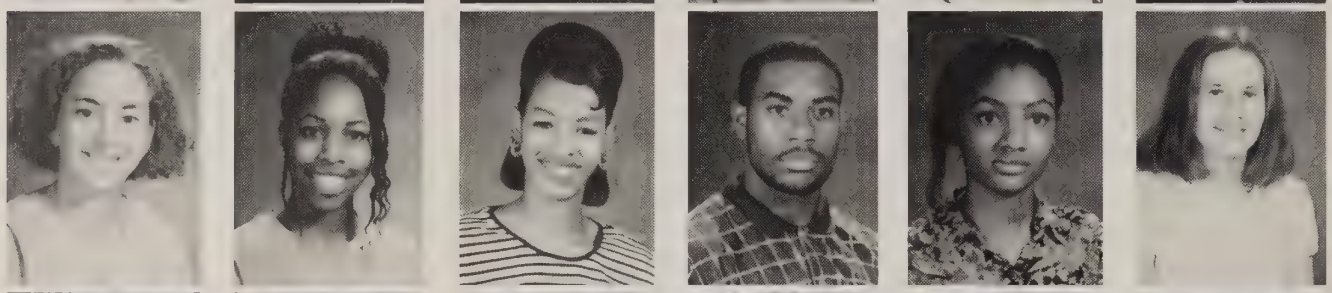

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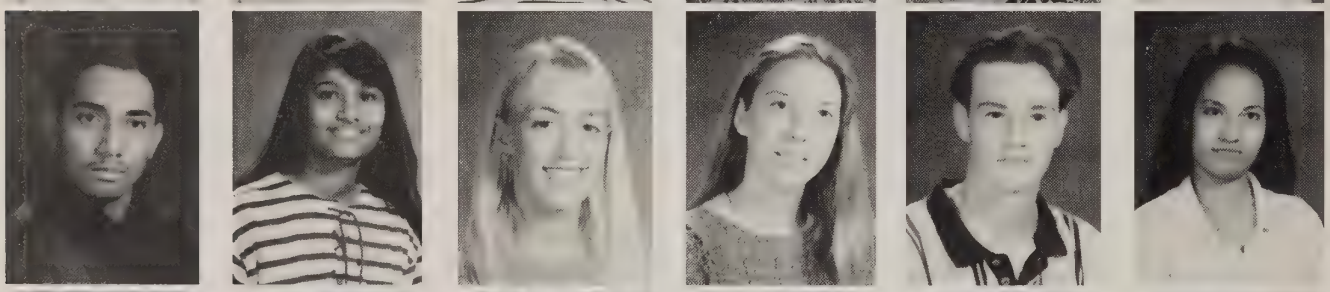

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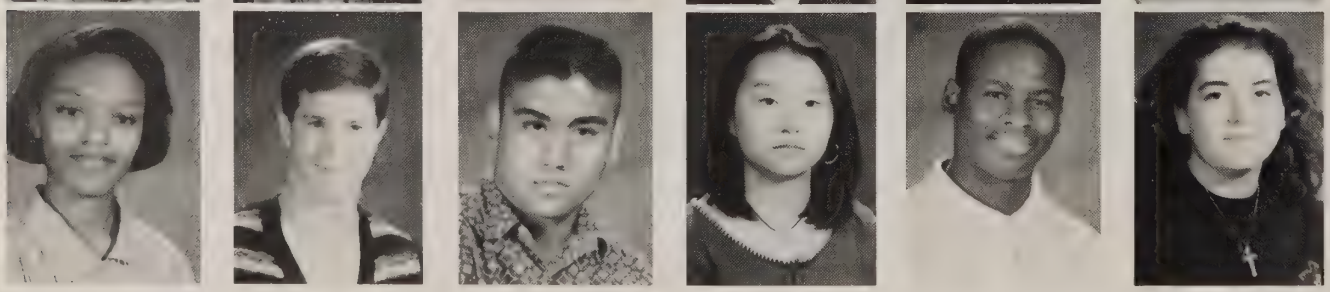

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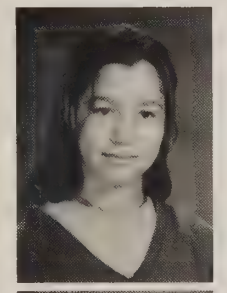

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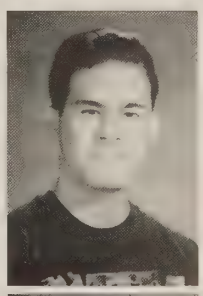
Lowe, Carey



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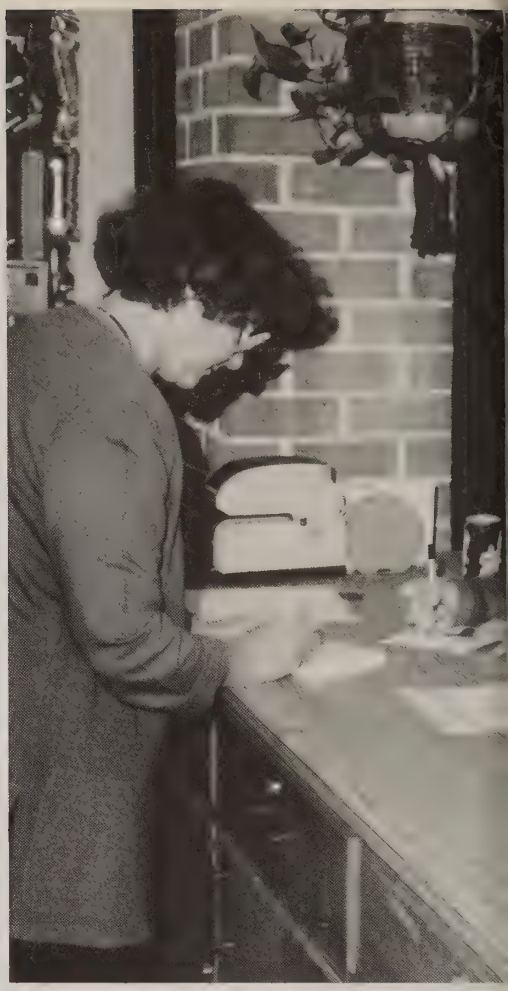
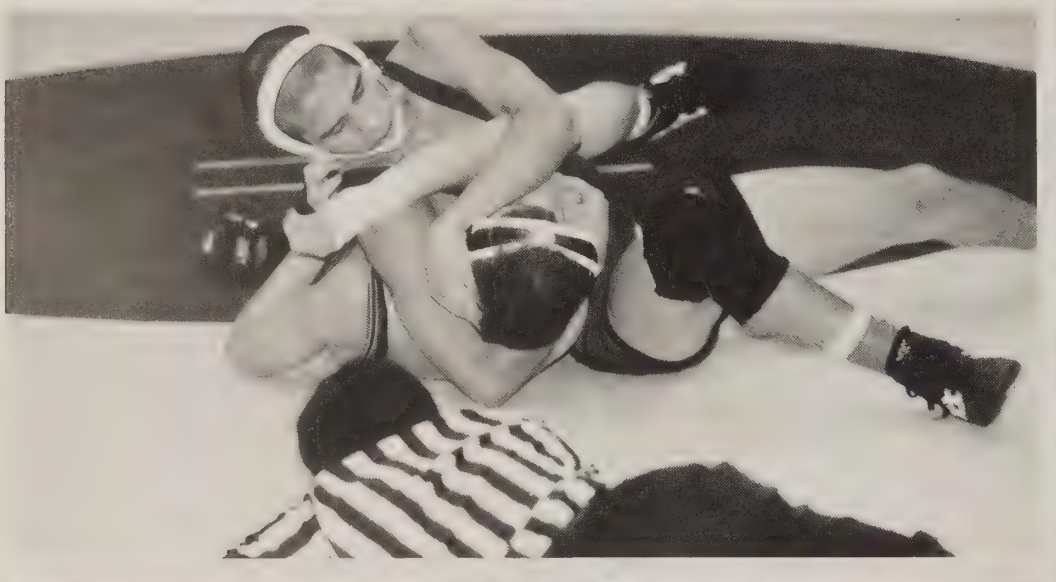
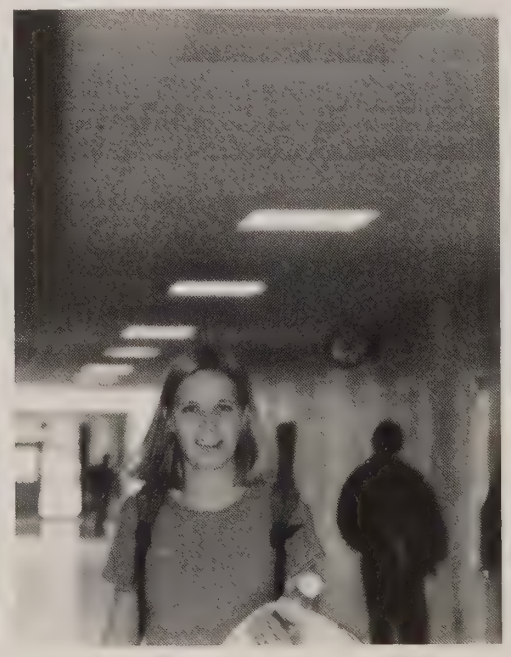
Super Juniors







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Michael, Lisa

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Miles, Afiva
Mills, Candice
Mills, Marcus
Minser, Theresa
Mitcham, Kendrah

Mitchell, Deborah
Mohammed, Salisha
Molina, Elizabeth
Moody, Rashad
Moon, Jaqua
Morrissey, Christopher

Motiel, Paola
Murdock, Brenda
Nagra, Ponneet
Nasir, Yuvraaj
Navia, Carl
Newman, Melissa

Nguyen, Bich-Nguyet
Nunez, Amaris
Nunnold, Tanja
Obermeyer, Karen
Owens, David
Pacheco, Milagro

Palmore, Ayannah
Park, Seon
Parker, Shernise
Patrick, Selena
Patterson, Daniel
Patterson, Jonny

Pattisall, Karen
Pettit, Michael
Plewes, Elizabeth
Pollack, Abraham
Ponce, Jorge
Porcelli, Julie

Preston, Mieko
Pryor, Ashanti
Purdy, Jennifer
Rathbone, Anita
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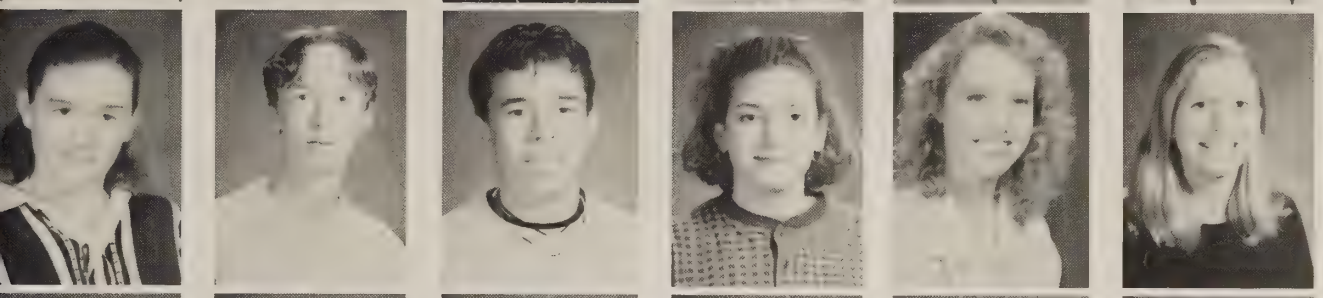

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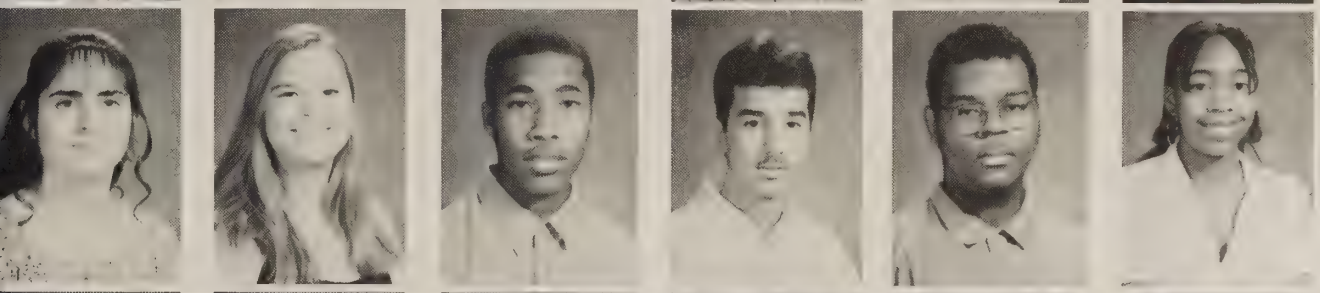

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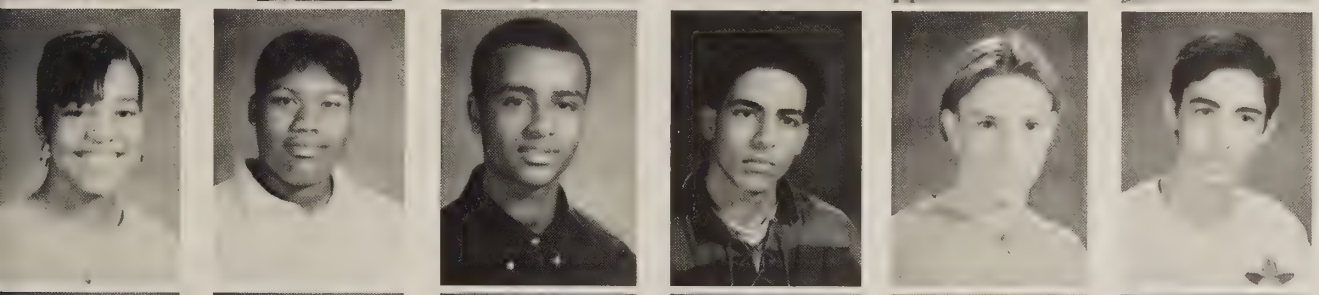

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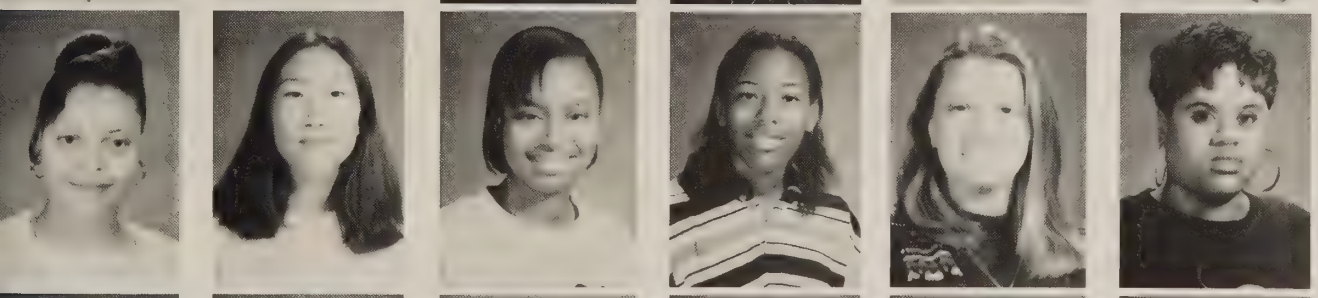

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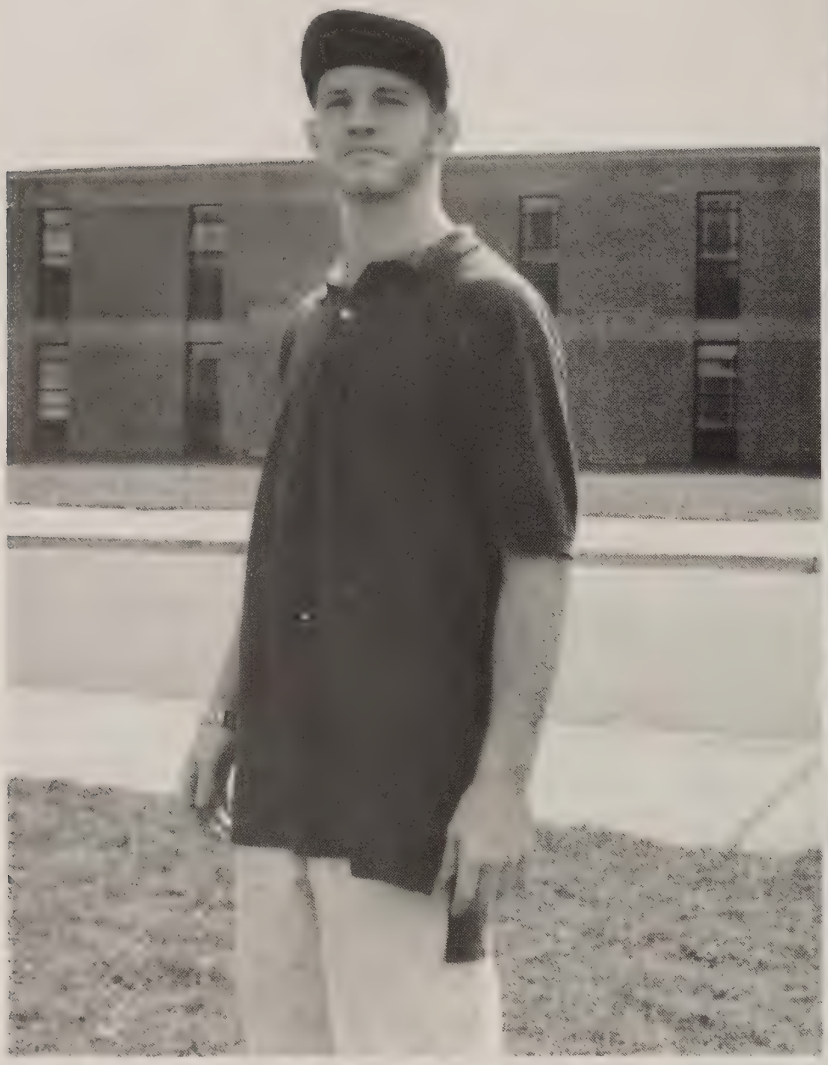
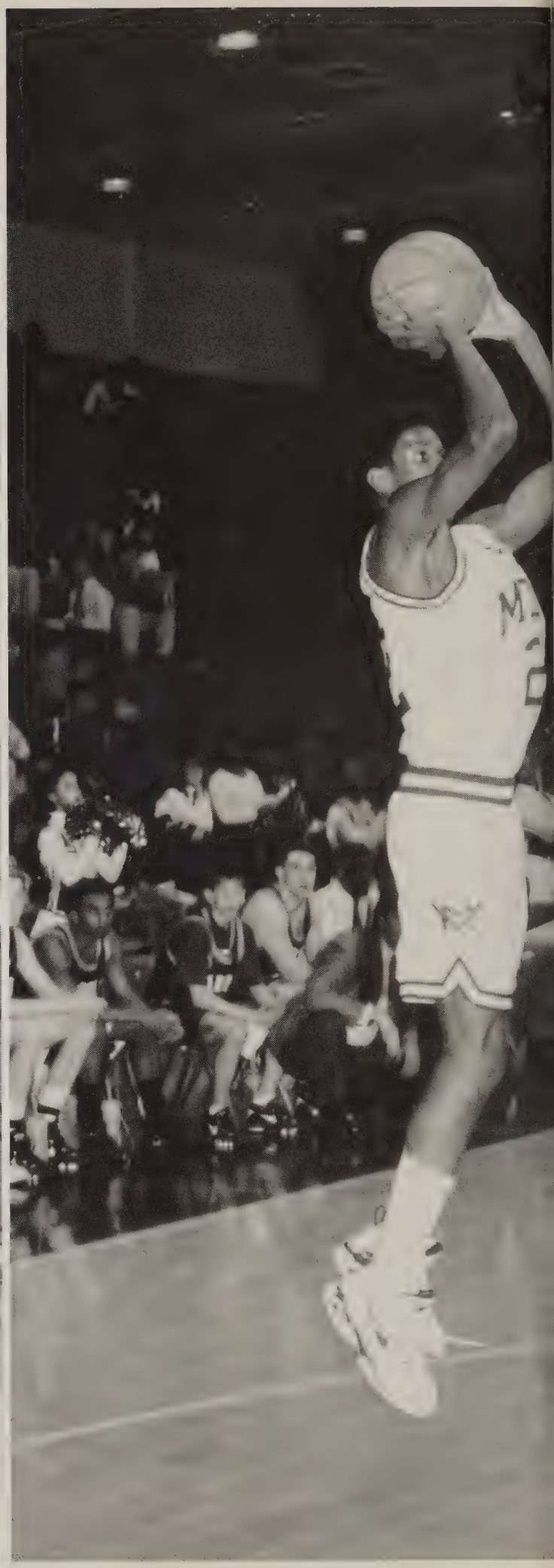
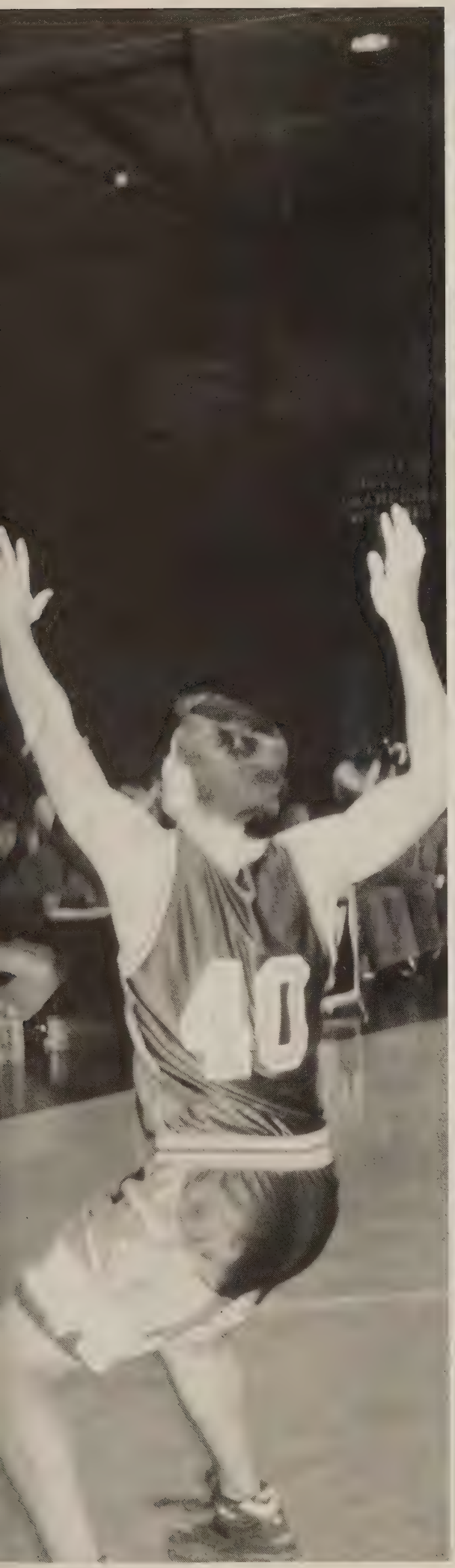
Oh Thank Heaven







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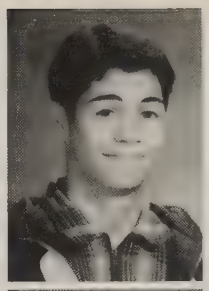

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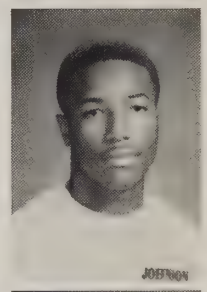

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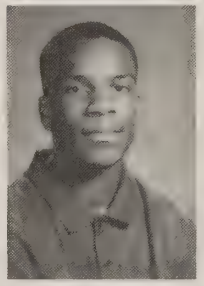


Wooten, Ray
Yarbough, Aaron
Yaya, Rafiatu

Junior

Most Likely to Succeed : Deena Johnson & Aaron Yarbourgh
Class Clown : Roxanne Mason & Robert Thomas
Friendliest : Yodit Woldegebriel & Jon Reed
Best Eyes : Astra Donald & Jon Reed
Biggest Flirt : Carl Navia & Nina Torres
Best Smile : Heather Kempthorne & Ray Wooten
Most Unique : Shae Dubravac & Robert Thomas
Most Athletic : Ann Harris & PJ Lazo

Superlatives

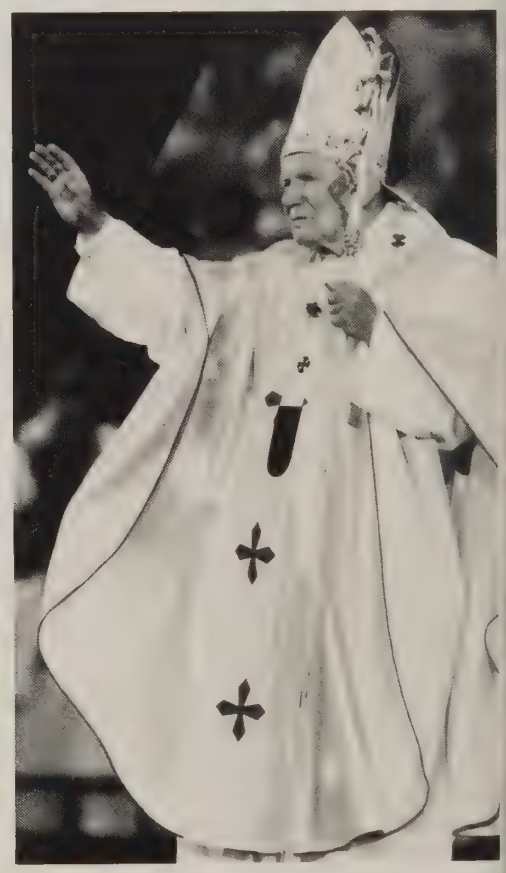
GEN. COLIN POWELL, 58-year old career Army officer chose not to run for president in 1996.

TIMOTHY MCVEIGH, and one other man, Terry Nichols, are charged with with bombing of a Federal Office building in Oklahoma City. The explosion killed 169 people and injured more than 500.

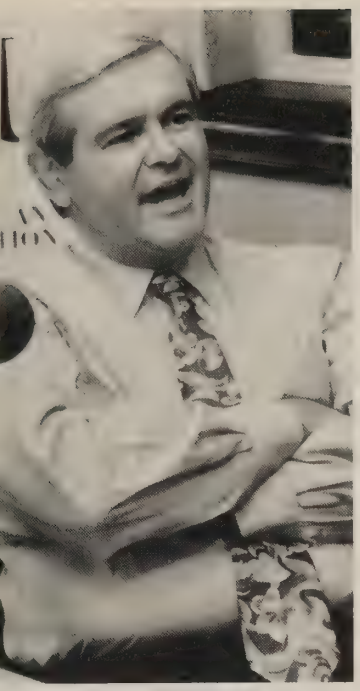
People

In The News

PRESIDENT BILL CLINTON prepared for a new political battle: the 1996 presidential election. The election was not the only thing on the President's mind, troops in Bosnia, the Federal budget, and legal battles were top concerns.



The much traveled POPE JOHN PAUL II returned to the U.S. for his fourth papal trip.



EWT GINGRICH, a Republican ongressman from Georgia, rose to the eights of Speaker of the House of epresentatives.

BILL GATES made computer headlines when he introduced Windows 95, the long awaited up-grade to the Windows computer software program.

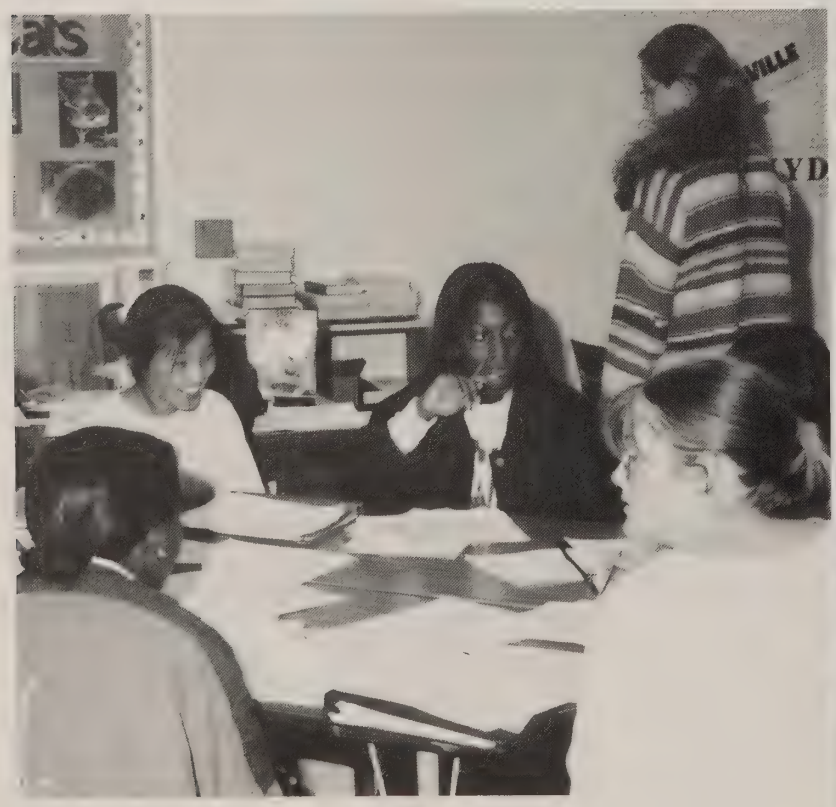
Sen. BOB DOLE, a Republican from Kanas, is a front runner to represent the Republicans in the 1996 Presidential election.

J.S. and UN troops were sent to the former Yugoslavia to insure a lasting peace. J.S. troops should be home by 1997, according to the President's plan.

The murder trial of O.J. Simpson ended. Not guilty.

Miss Oklahoma, Shawntel Smith, was crowned MISS AMERICA.

It Must Be Great



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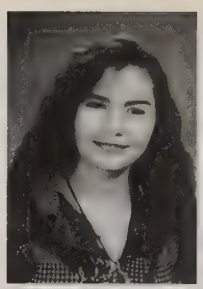

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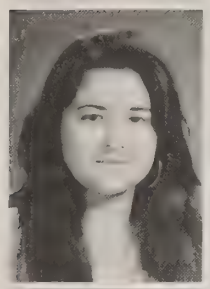

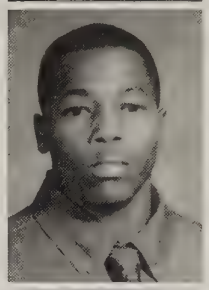

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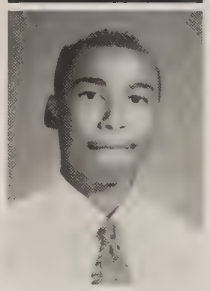

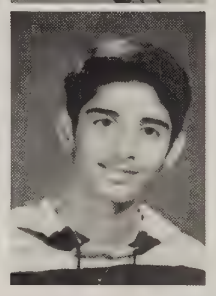

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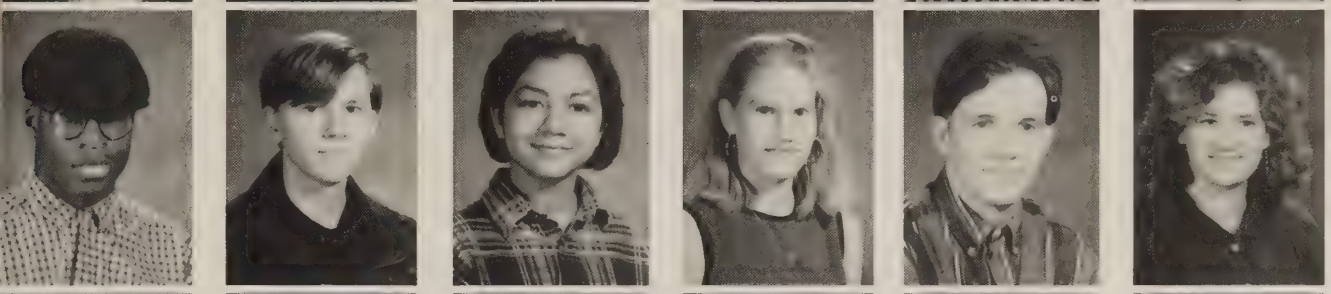

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Benatti, Sylvia
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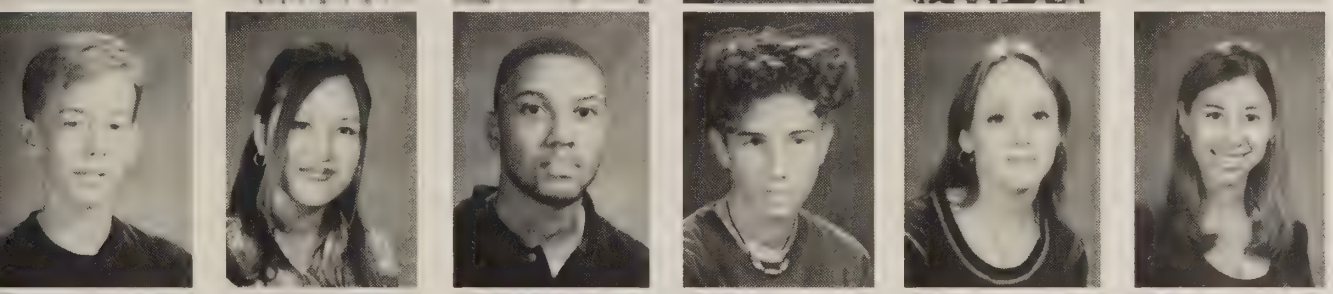

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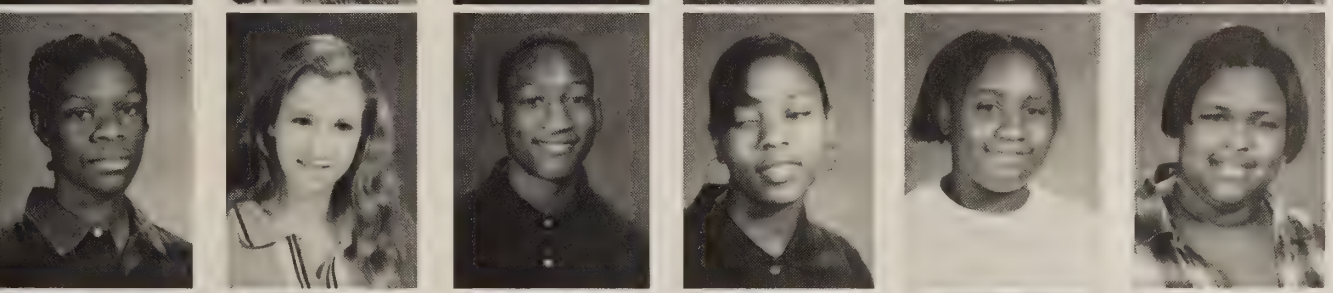

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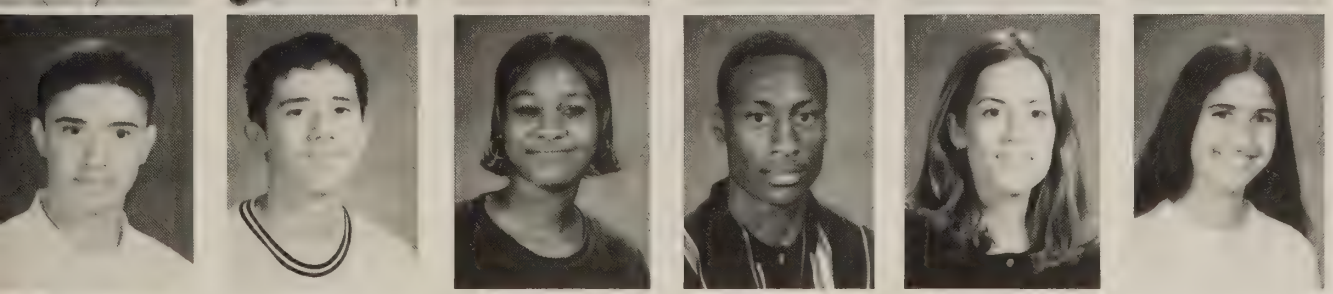

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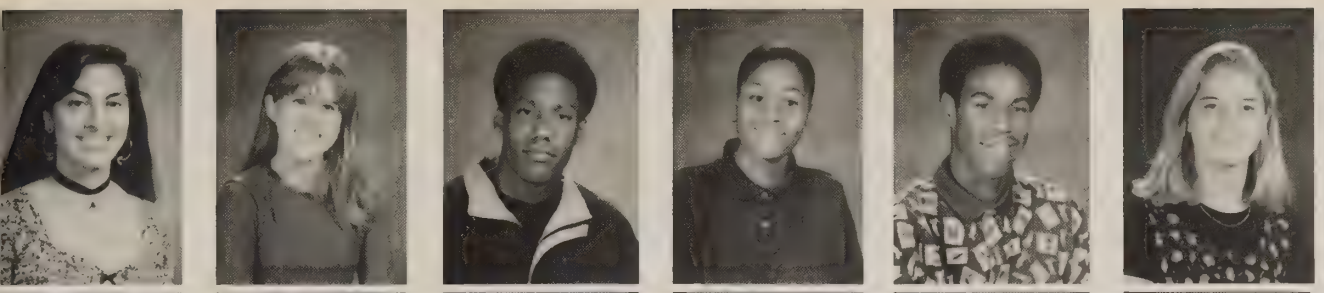

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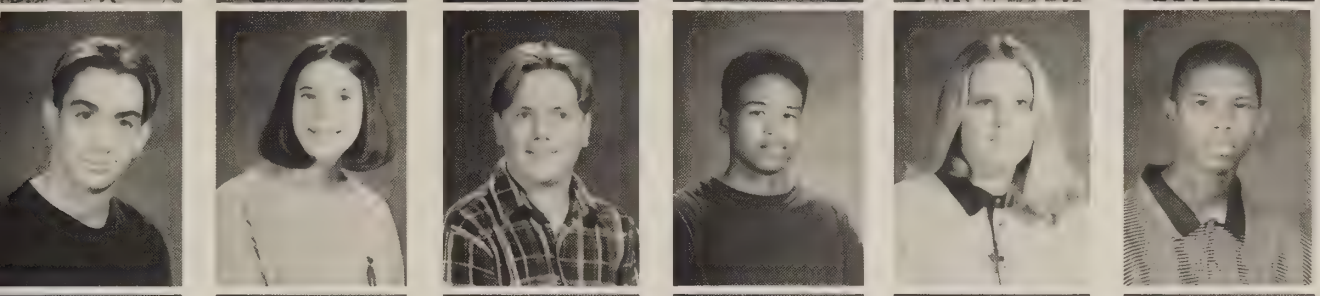

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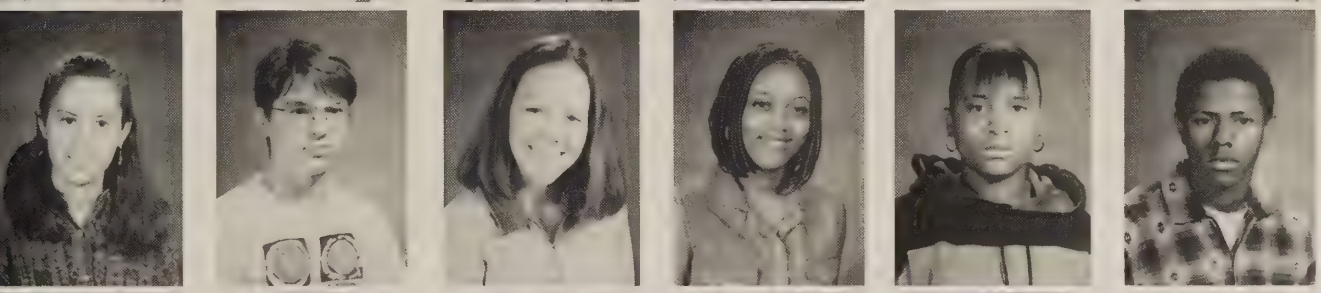

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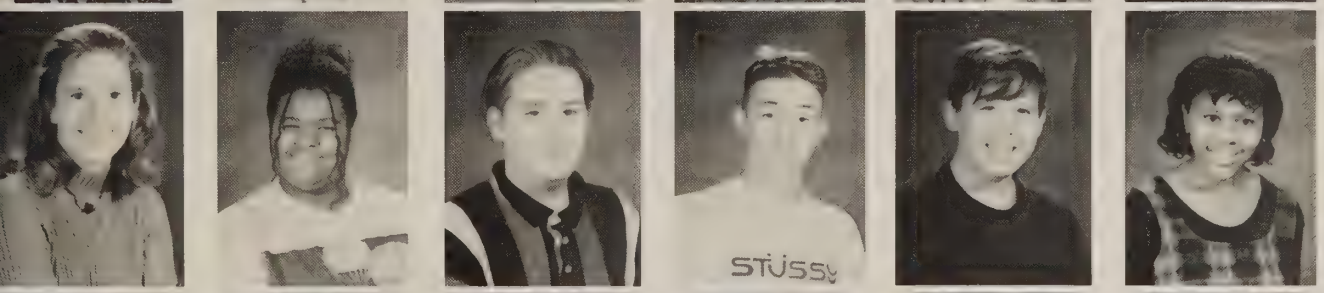

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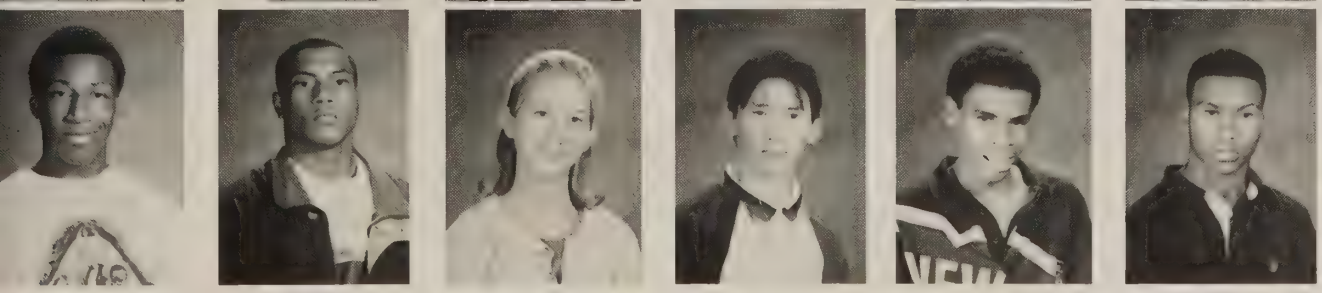

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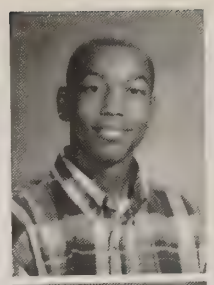

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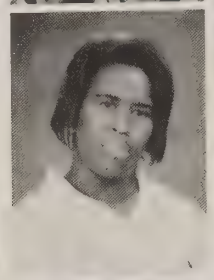

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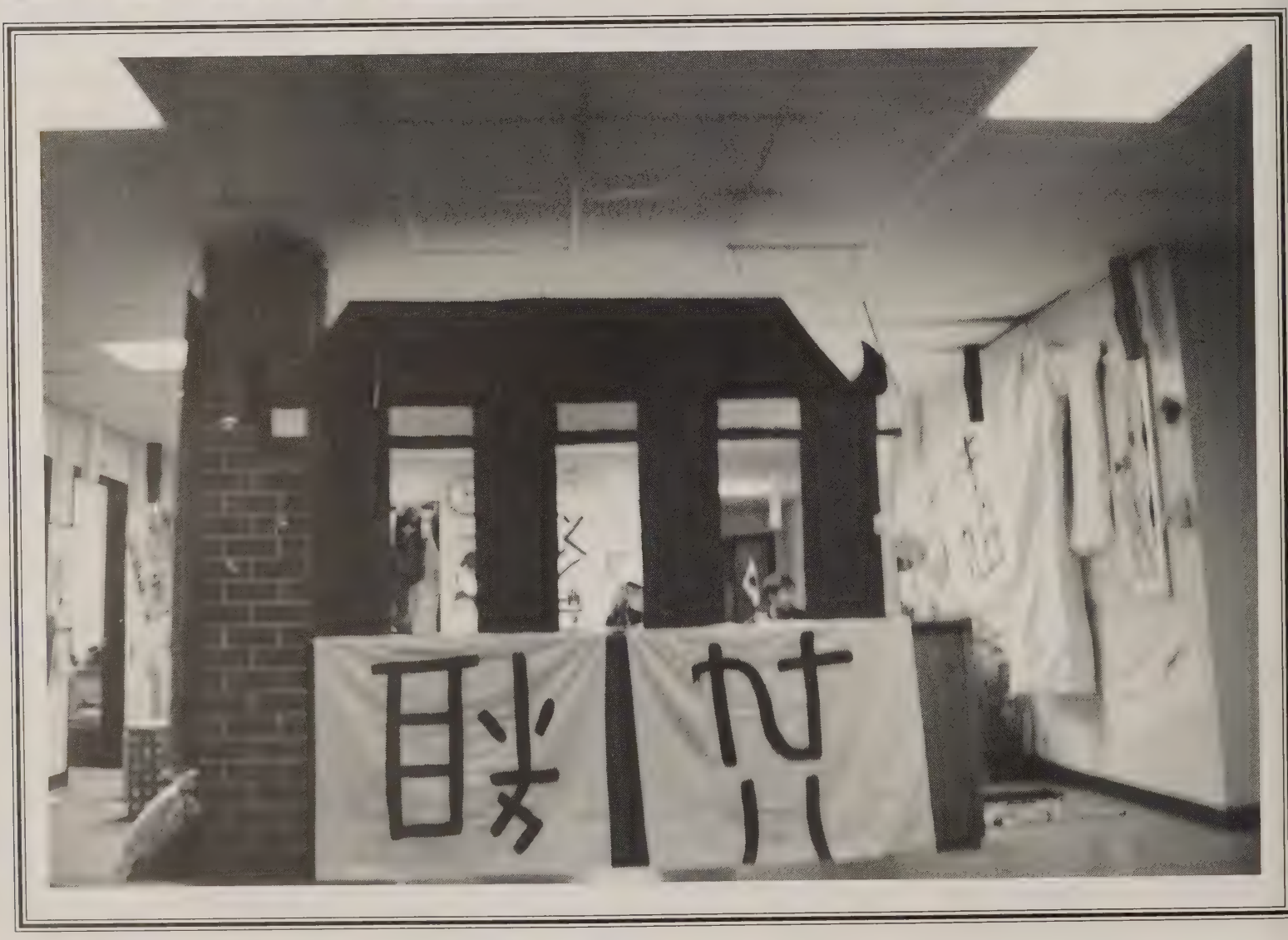

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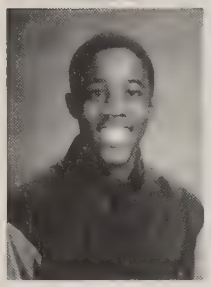

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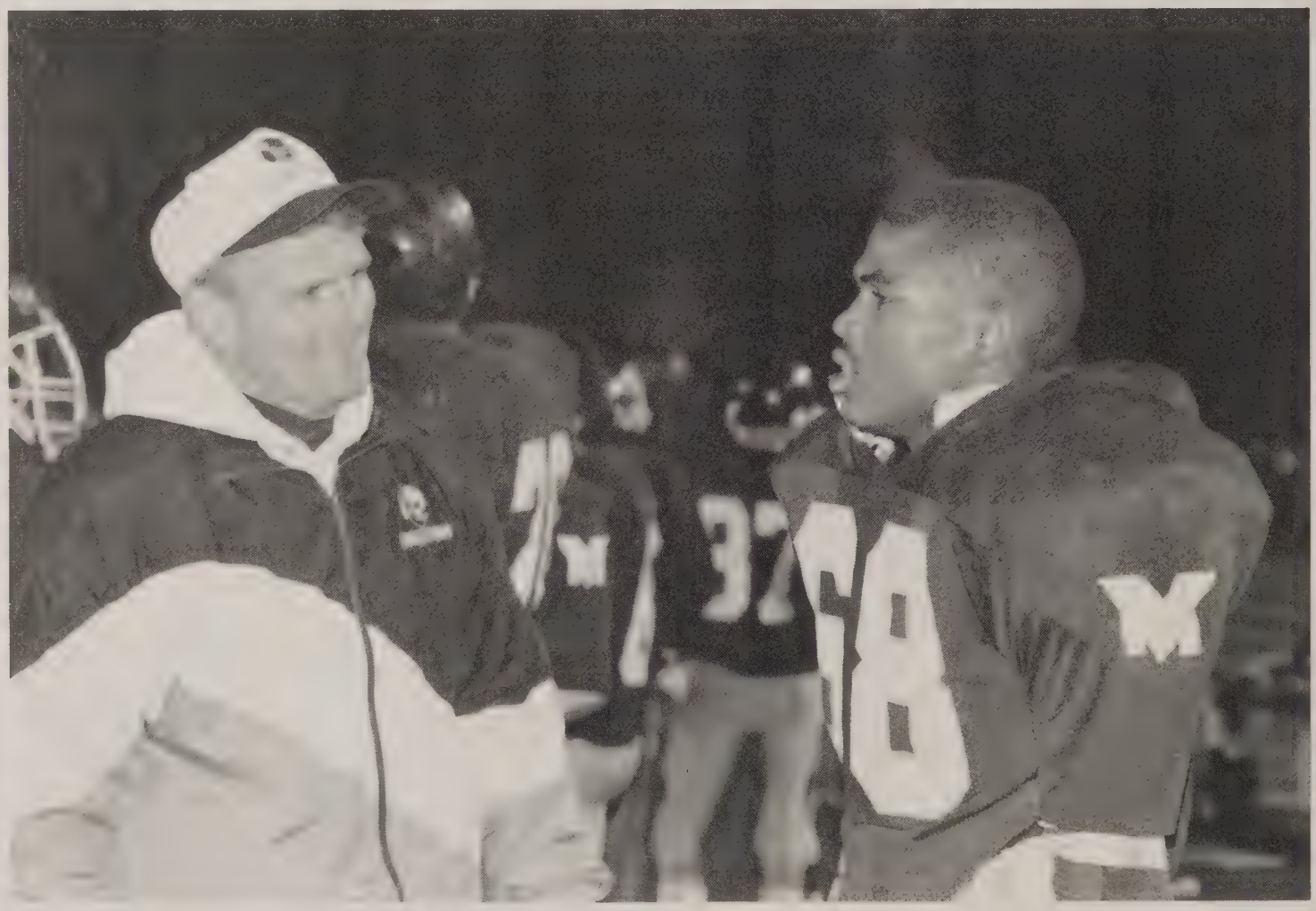

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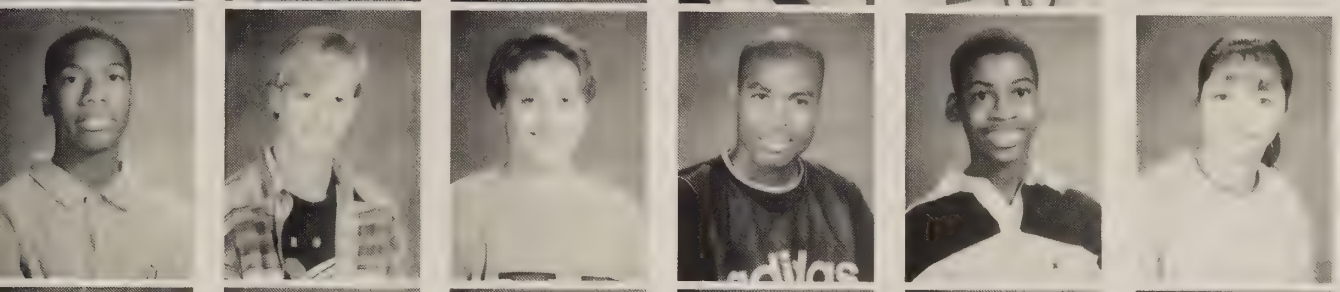

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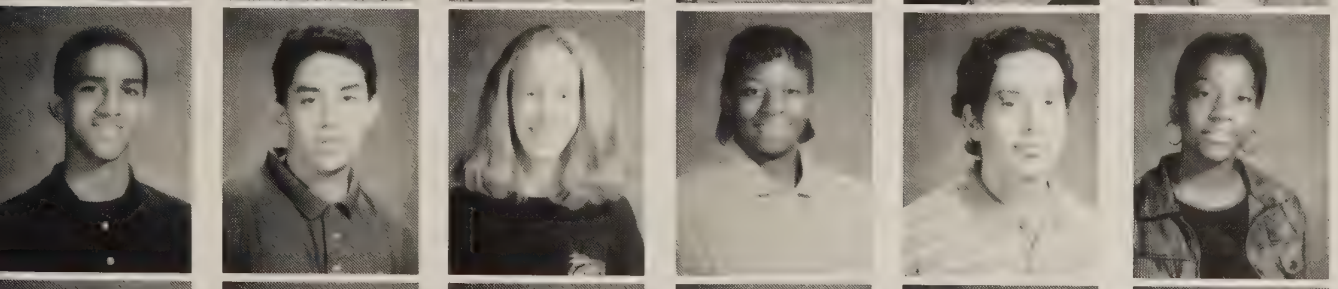

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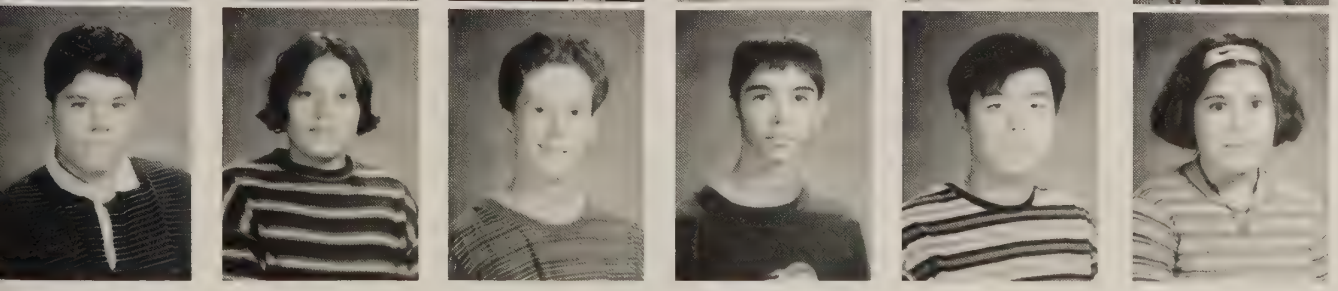

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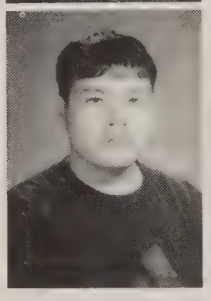

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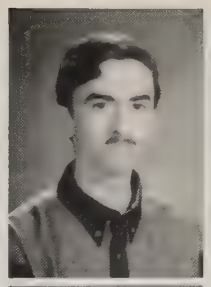

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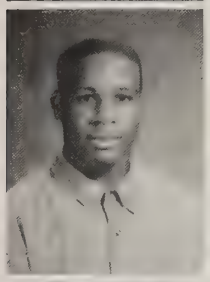

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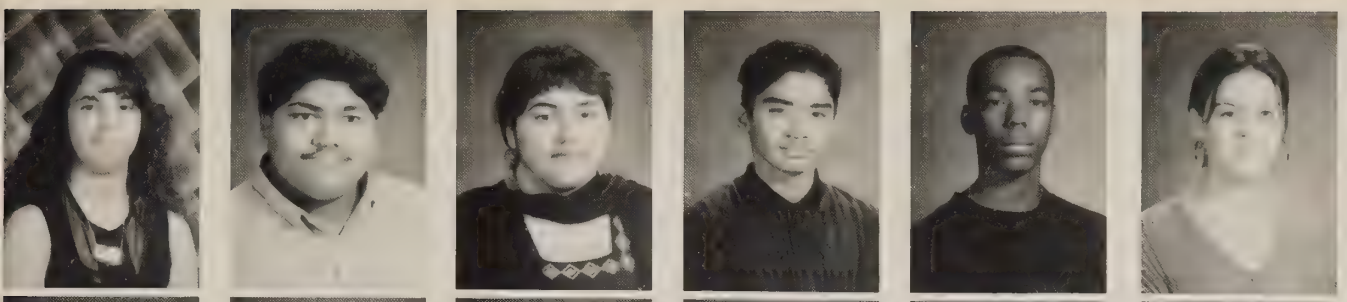

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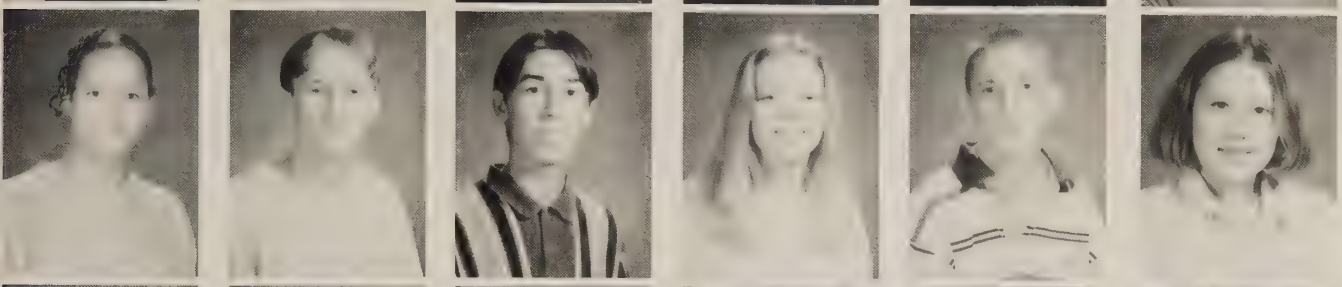

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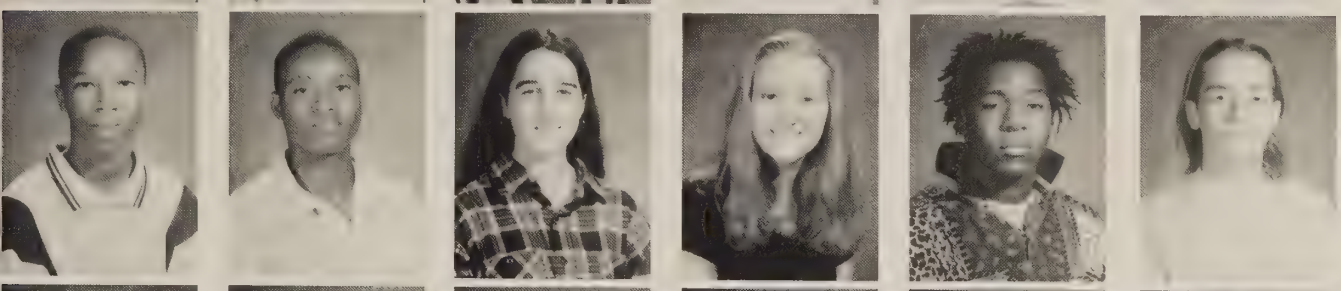

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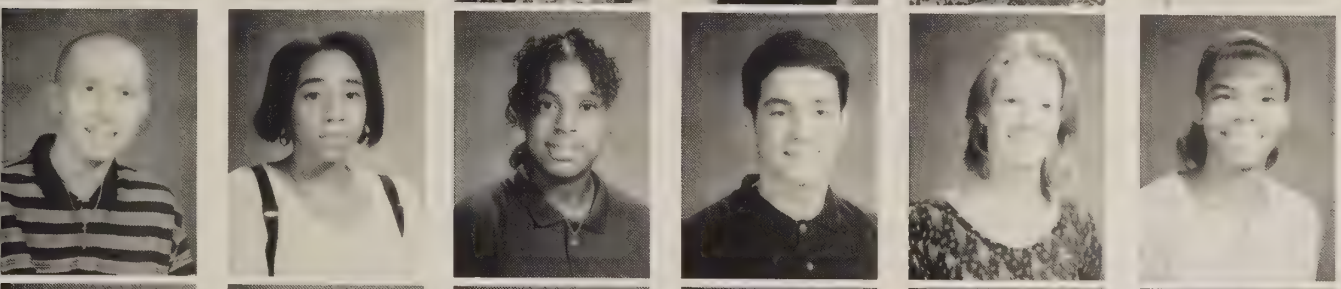

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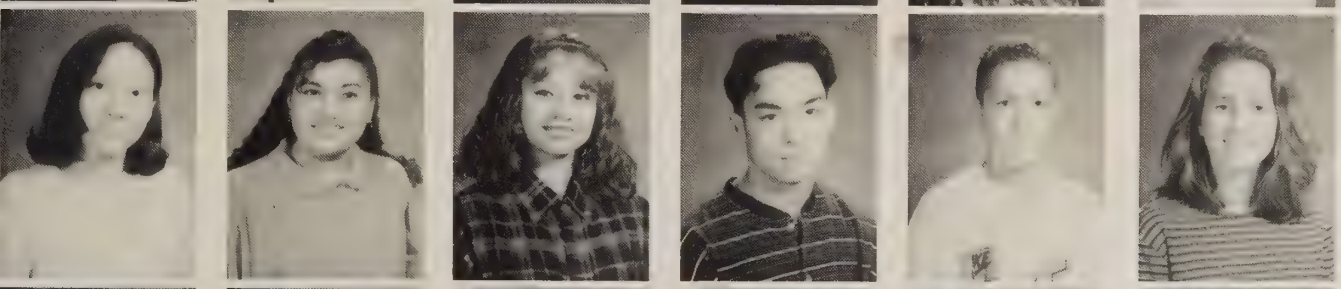

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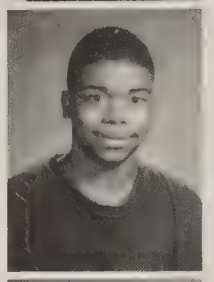

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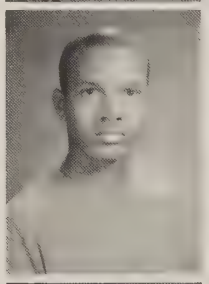

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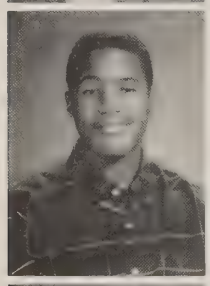

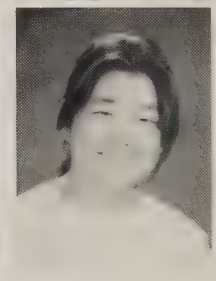

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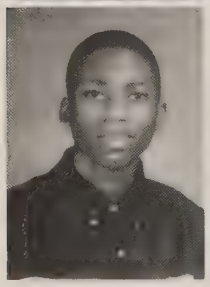

Young, Michael

These sophomores are caught coming back to school after going to lunch!

Sophomore

Most Likely to Succeed : Jasim Allen & Cory Smith
Class Clown : Alison Sterling & Harrison Ordonez
Friendliest : Phoung Ly & Deshawn Brown
Most Talkative : Erin Leasure & Jeremy Sylvester
Best Dressed : Monique Perry & B J Anderson
Most Unique : Carrie Benatti & Matt Branco
Most Athletic : Shannon Reily & Jeremy Wilson

Superlatives

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Abrahams, Latoya
Ahmed, Imran
Ahmed, Siema
Allen, Naykia
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Alvarenga, Karla
Amnathvong, Vannara
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Balanta, Yuvanni
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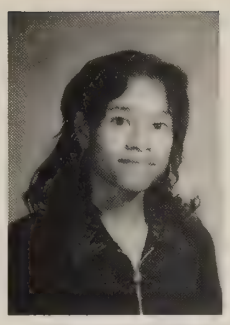

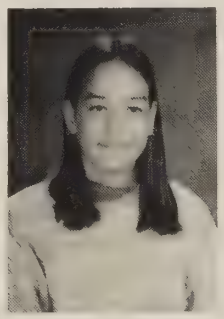

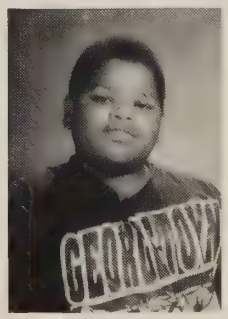

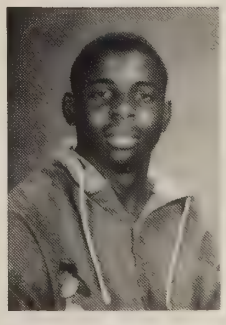

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Bonilla, Cathy
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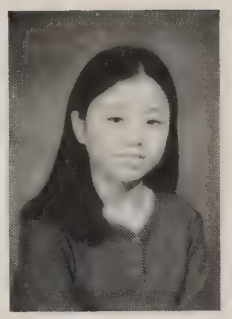
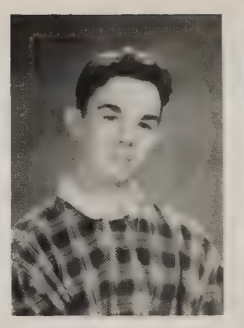
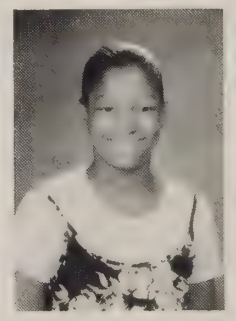
Lee Grayson having fun at Homecoming.



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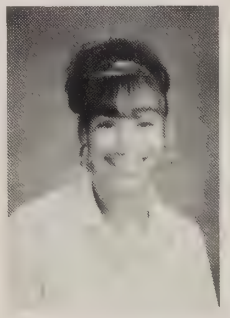

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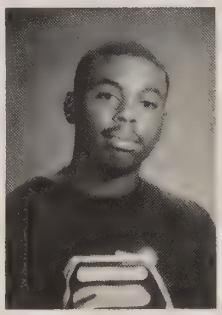

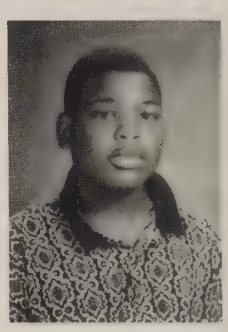

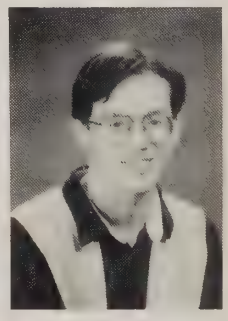

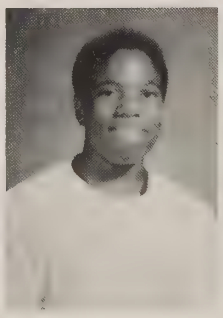

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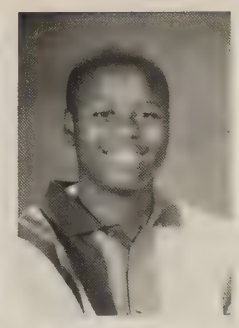

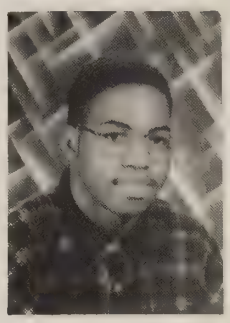

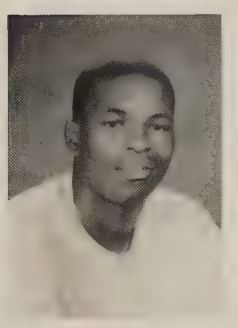

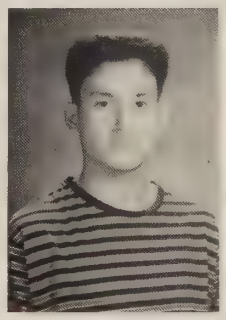

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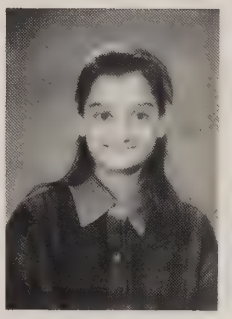

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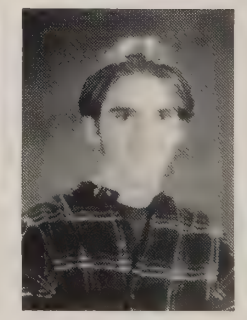

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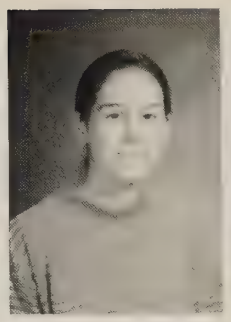
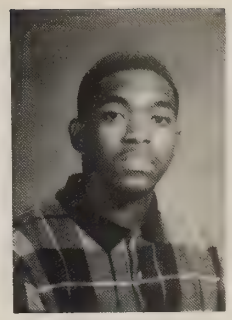

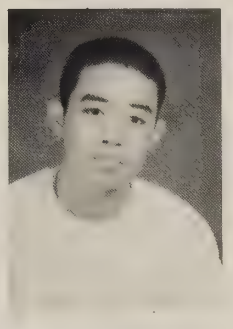

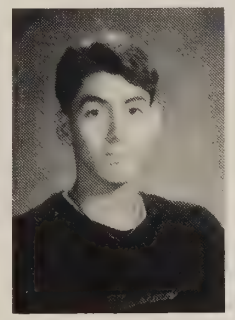
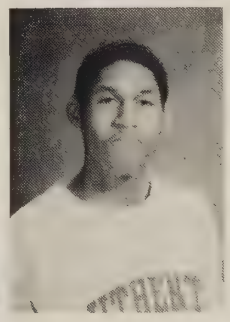

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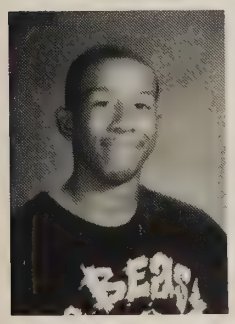

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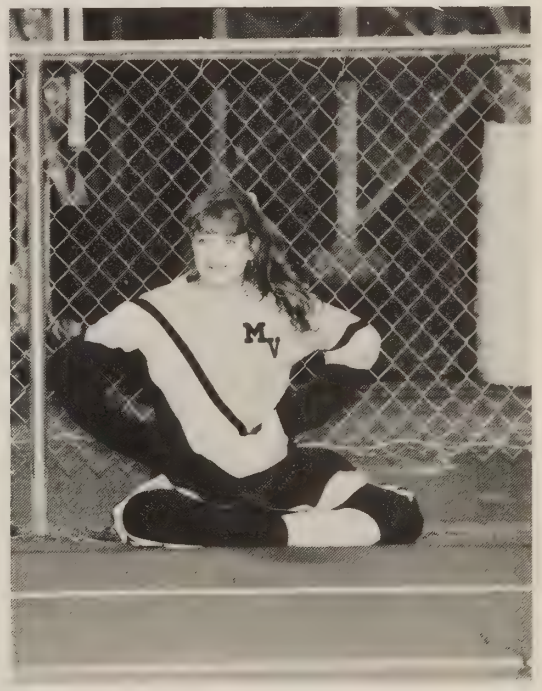

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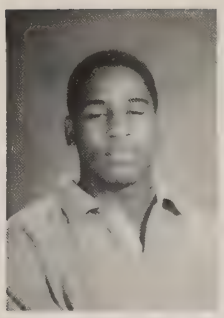

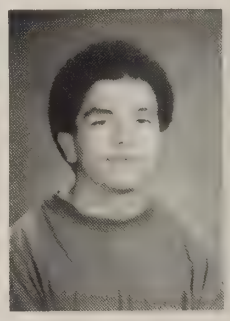
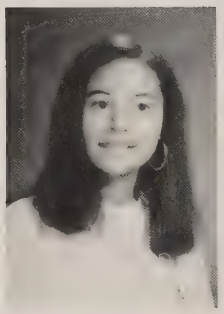

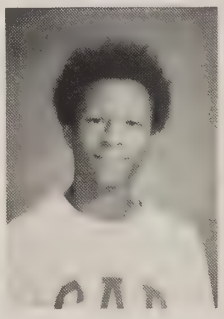

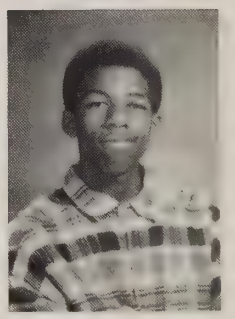

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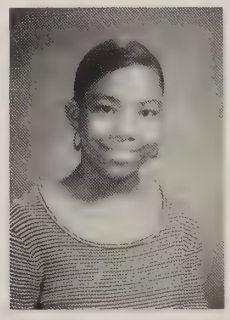

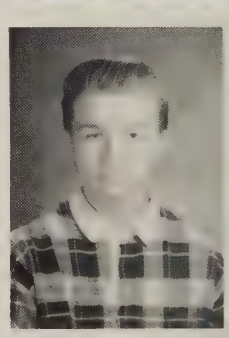
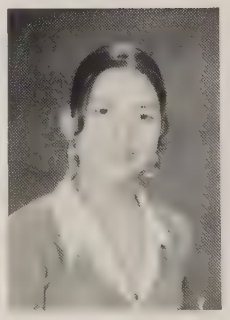

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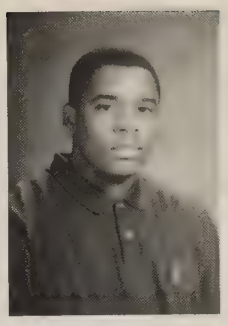

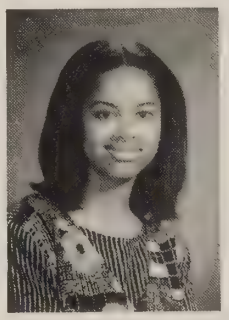

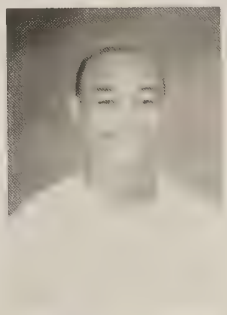

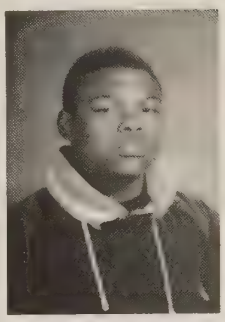

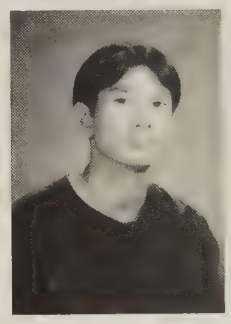
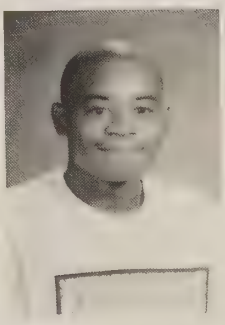

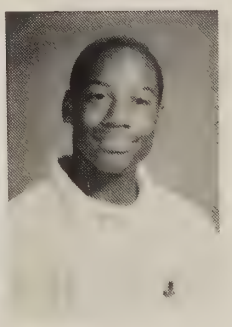

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Woods, Latosha

Wright, Rian
Yi, Chang
Young, Sarah
Young, Shericka
Zambrano, Lenny

Freshman

Most Likely to Succeed : Arlene McCallum & Brian Chapman
Class Clown : Kristina Buddenhagen & Jeff Kempthorne
Friendliest : Jennifer Luu & Pearly McQueen
Most Talkative : Rashida Johnson & Jason Leach
Most Athletic : Billi Ford & Tunde Fadahunsi
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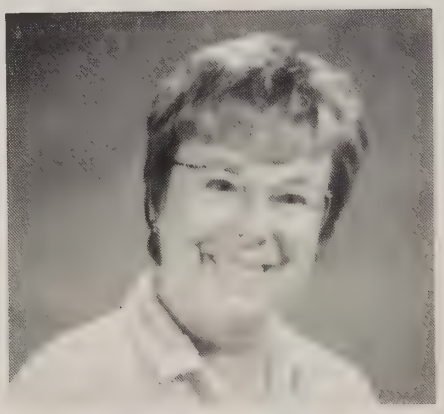
Superlatives

Dr. Calanthia Tucker, Principal
Mt Vernon High School

Don Hennessey, Principal, MVC
Frank Scott, Adm. Assistant



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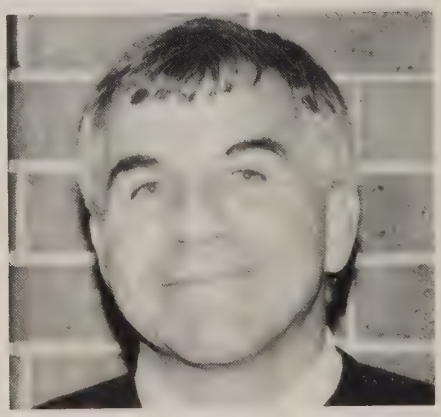

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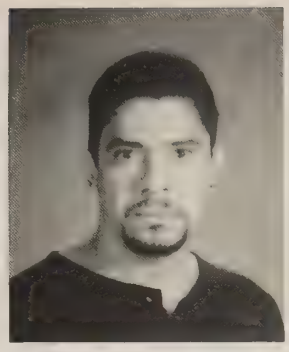

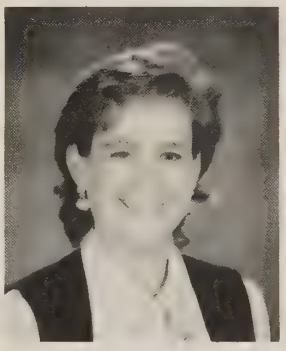

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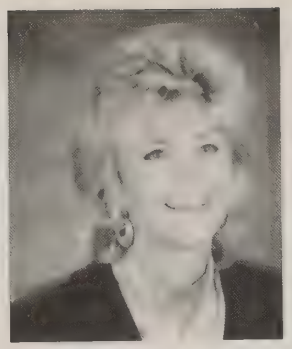
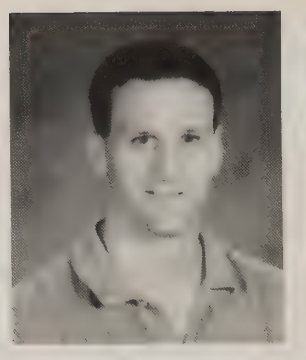
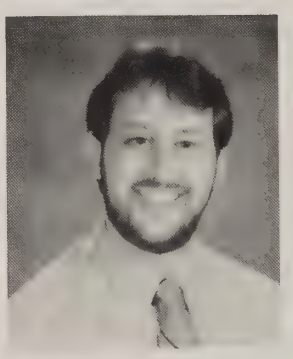
The Faculty Cheerleaders Pose For A Picture During The First Pep Rally Of The School Year.

Ginny Daughtrey, Art Department Chair



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Patty Efthemes
Jack Elgin
Marianne Falconer

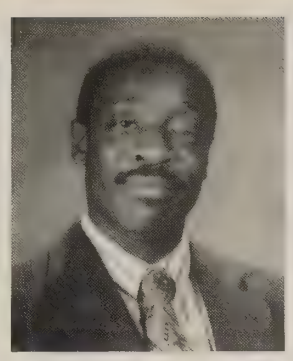
John Frerichs
Jim Frishman
Cynthia Gabin

Marsha Garrett
Vera Gleason
Dorothy Gricher

Amanda Hamlett
Gloria Harris
Joanne Harris

Lori Douglas, Audio-Video Library Aide

Main Office Secretaries Pat Goebel And Sue Ohlin Get A Laugh Out Of One The Hundreds Of Calls The School Receives.



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Judy Hingle

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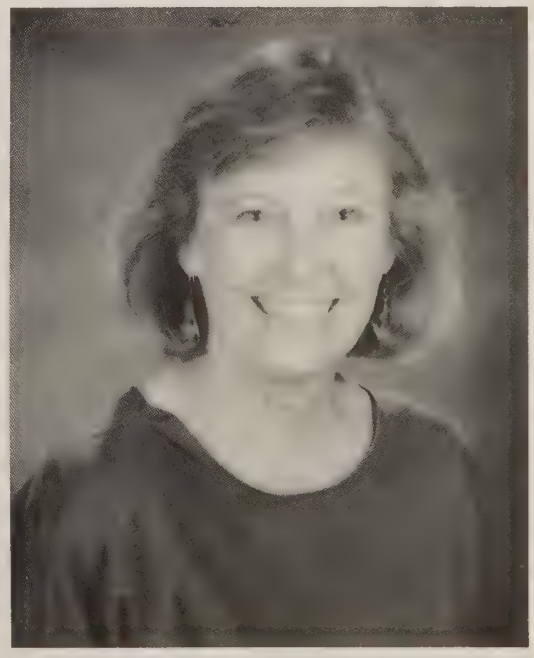
Thomas Jullien
Steven Kent

Denise Kitchen
Marlene Korth
Eleanor Langrabe

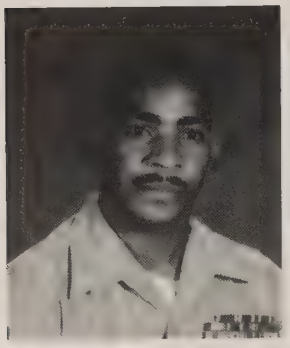
Gary Larson
Su Lee
Christine Leis

Jeff Litz
Jay Locher
Joanne Marino

Hillary And Newt? No, It's Ms Shue And Mr Zack Watching Over The Student Congress In The Little Theater!



June Marquis, Math Teacher
Math Honor Society Sponsor



Kerry Miller
Joy McManus
Willie Medley

Janet Mosher
Sharon Nagelhout
Linda Otterness

Cassie Parker
Eloise Parks
Diane Pearce

Sulvia Perez-Fasano
Emily Perez-Reyes
Vicki Pettibon

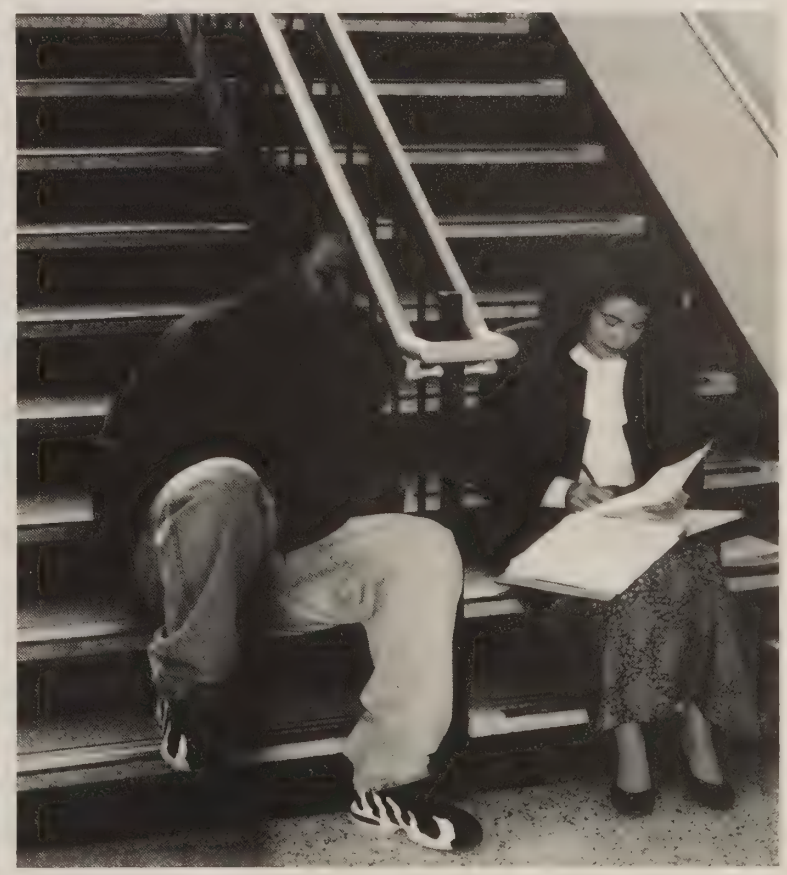
Diana Poodlack
Prativa Prasad
Cindy Prieto
Marty Riddle
Chris Rivecco

New Finance Officer, Nardos King Gets Adjusted To Mt Vernon After Taking Over For The Retired Cassie Parker.

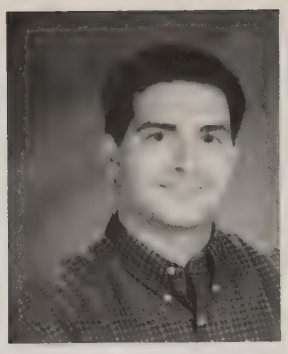
Eric Brent, A Former Mt Vernon Student Is Back Home. Eric's Duties Are 11th Grade A-Go Counselor And Head Boys Basketball Coach.

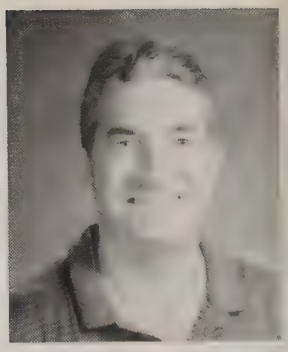
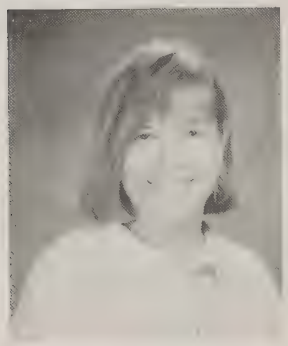
Liz Douglas, A Mt Vernon Science Teacher Also Serves As The Girls Lacrosse Coach And JV Field Hockey Coach.

Gayle Deaton And Jean Wells Watch As The Students Come In To The 1995 Prom.



GP-O Counselor, Jeanne Nelson Will Take The Opportunity To Help A Student Any Where She Can!



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Katy Snider
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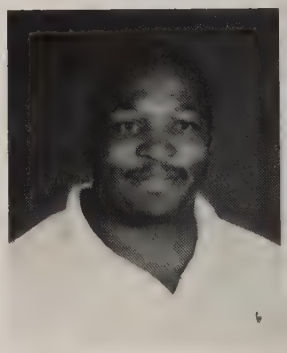
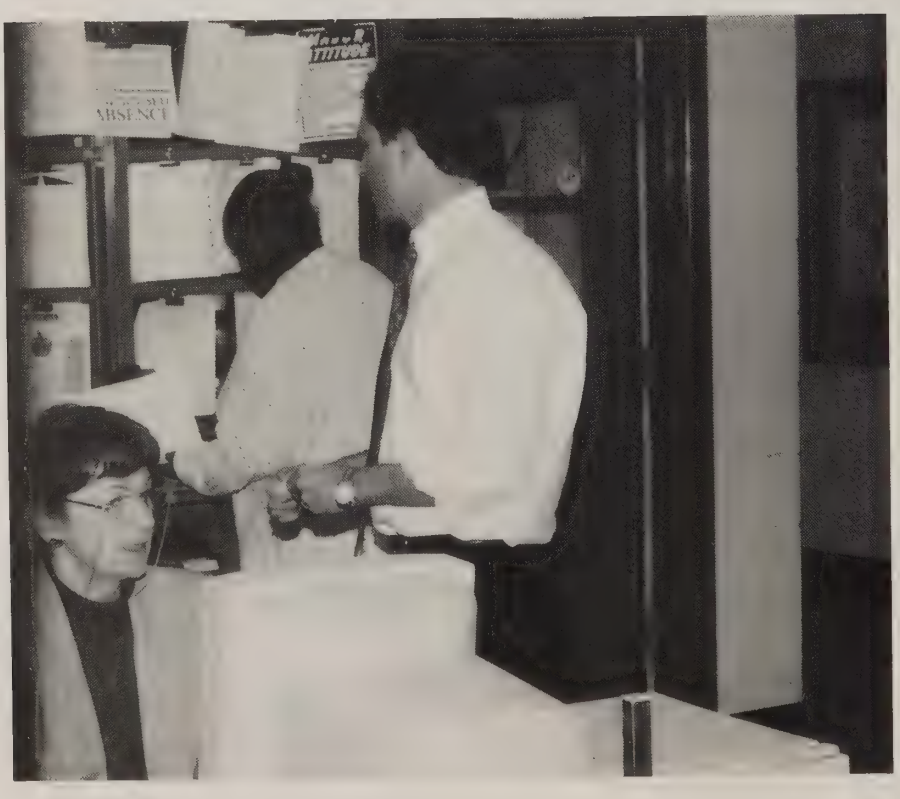


Ms Cook And Mr Ebeling Work Together To Provide The Best English Class Possible.



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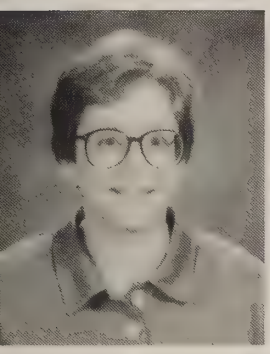
Derek Steele
Jody Stone



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Tim Sturgeon
Nancy Svendsen

Brian Taylor
Regina Taylor
Mary Jane Thornton

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Thomas Vandenburg
Sarah Wagner

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Carol Wansong
Jeff Warden

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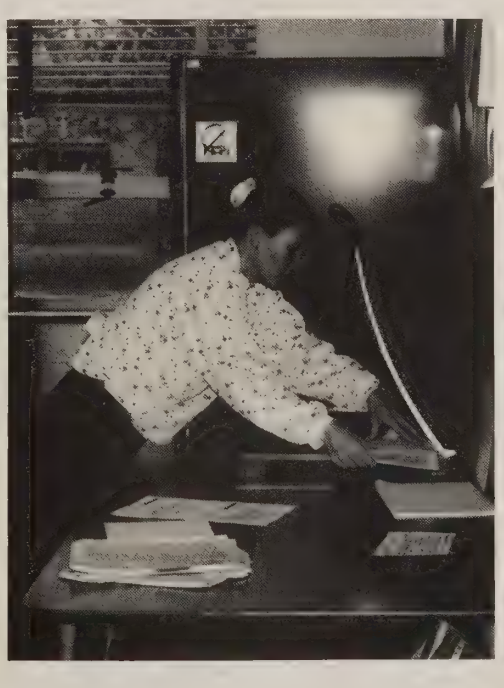
Jean Wells
Julie Wilson

Meredith Yang
Math Teacher

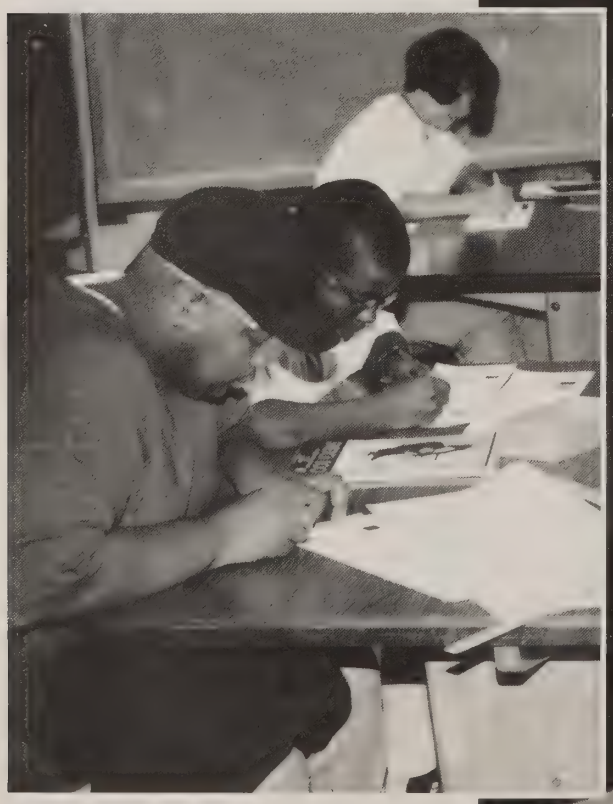


Barbara Clark, The P.E. Chairperson, Gets The Tabs Ready For Class.

David Zack, History Teacher
Sophomore Class Sponsor

Here Jennifer Hart works on the chemistry club mailing lists. Jennifer found it hard to hold down a club membership while working, preparing for collage, and being attacked by her dog, Buck, a massive white German Shepherd.

These young Americans are practicing their artwork during a meeting. Many students use club meeting time to catch up on their work.



Many of these students are members of one club or another. These young adults can recognize the importance of a good, wholesome activity when the see it.

Camaraderie

Clubs are the best way to meet people, learn important skills, i.e. writing, sciences, politics, and have a lot of fun. Many students are involved in at least one or more clubs.

Junior Chris Finnegan said, "I enjoy the meetings with my fellow young Republicans and meeting all the dirty Politicians". Chris stated the way many students feel about club activities, happy and enlightened.

Lauri Gainer was quoted as saying that she felt "honored to be surrounded by the many great people on the yearbook staff" and she feels "an awesome camaraderie every time I enter a meeting or attend one of the fabulous parties hosted by the staff". Of course the staff does not understand Lauri's statement, they never have parties.

Clubs are yet another means of keeping young people busy while waiting for the time of life to pass them by, only a few students find that this time is boring. Ask any grown-up, they'll tell you that the best time of their lives was spent passing the time of adolescence away.

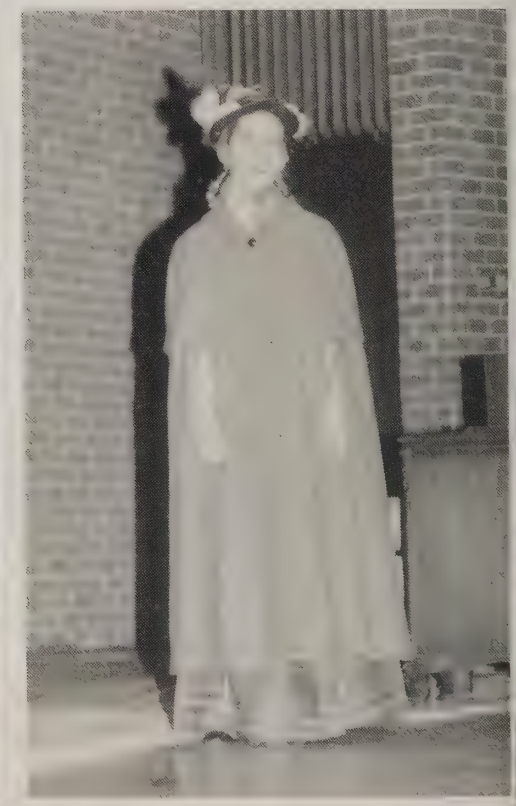
Breaking A Leg
The Mt Vernon Players

Drama director, David Schmidt, has put the department back in the right direction and generated a new desire for students to be involved in productions. The Mt Vernon players produced four major plays, with an increased student interest in each one. "Gaslight", "The Rainmaker", "Showboat" and "Plaza Suite" were all performed with great success.

Producing a play is a huge event that needs lots of people with different talents and abilities. This year's drama department has done a great job of involving a large number of students and taking advantage of different talents. Students painted sets, art classes made props, students sold tickets and everyone pitched in to make this year a great success.

Emily Templeton performs as Bella Manningham in "Gaslight."

Mr. Schmidt, Austin Alvarado, Kim Morgan, Laura Riley, Tai Boggs, Autumn Girouard, Chris Kimball, Claire Baker, Brigid Fadden, Heather Markman, Kathleen Fadden, Angela Reed, Kitty Mitchell, Tallie Littrell, Mike Kilday-Perez, Justin Lucas, Chris Wolff, Audrey Williams



Sophomore Laura Riley as Nancy in "Gaslight."

Tim McCormick and Tai Boggs arrest Robert Brown in "Gaslight."

Rachel Mlinarchik helps paint the set for "The Nutcracker."

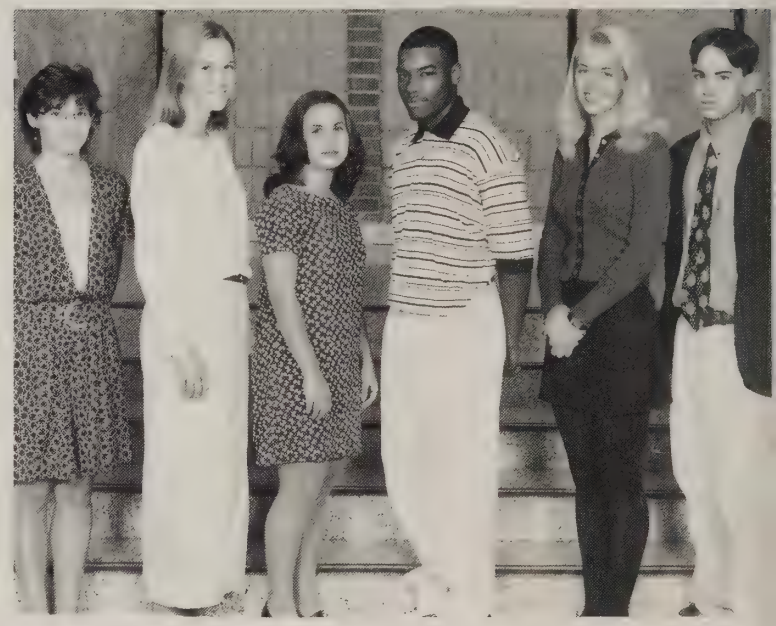
Jack Manningham, played by Robert Brown, talks with Nancy as Emily looks on.

Ted Girouard plays Inspector Rough in "Gaslight."

Senior Class Officers

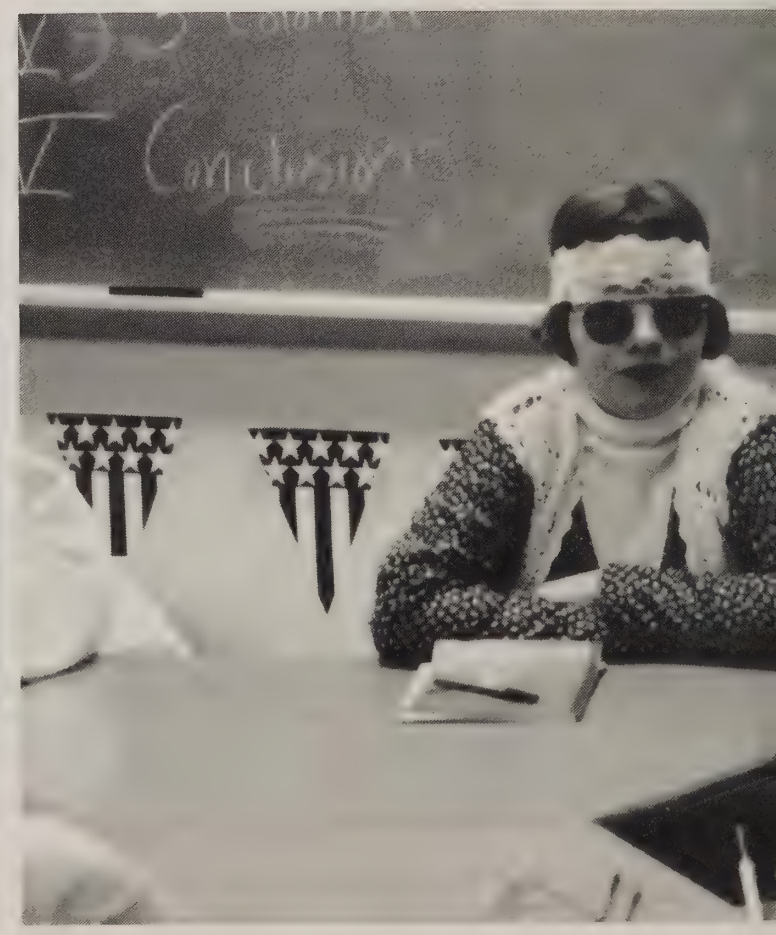
Antoinette Williams, Seema Sethi, Jenice Woody, Candice Mensah, Mr. Stone, Mrs. Brown, Kwabena Konadu

Junior Class Officers



Ms. Snider, Shae DuBravac, Suzanne Watts, Jawan Brown, Heather Kempthorne, Randy Acosta

Ronald McDonald, Jawan Brown, Dr. Tucker, Christy Carlson, Janice Woody, and Mr. Harris pose for a picture during the McDonald's showcase dedication.



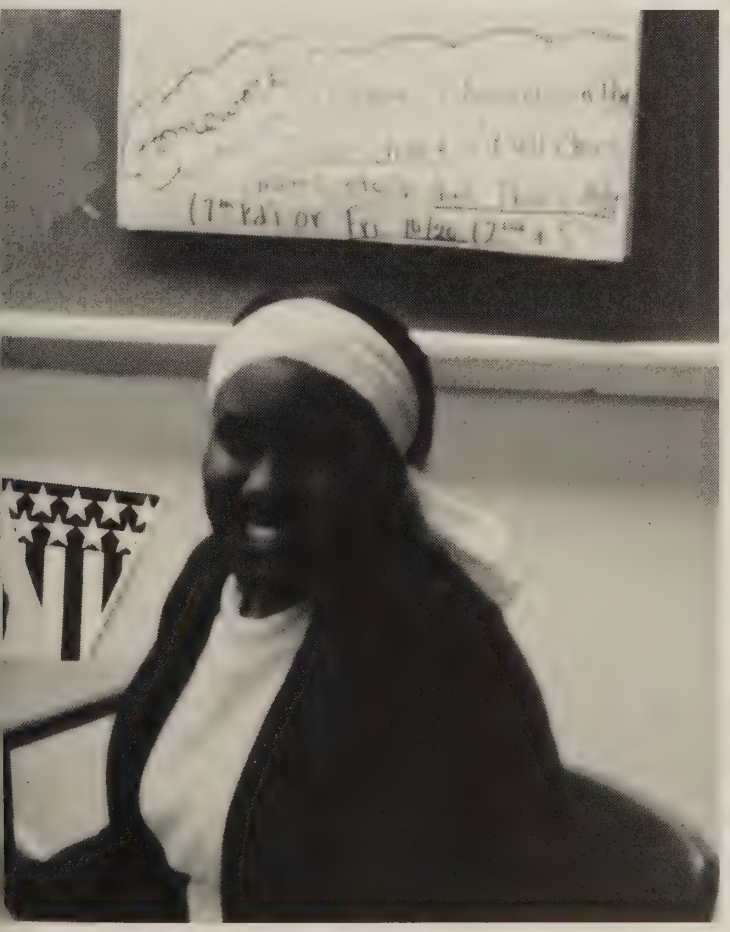
These two students are not protesting, they're showing school spirit. The junior class and SGA sponsored Homecoming Activities included a popular "60's Day."

Sophomore Class Officers

Deanne Gates, Kelly Cataldo, Heather Markman, Cory Smith, Mr. Zack

SGA Officers

David Ferguson, Kevin Noble, Christy Carlson, Felicia Cooksey



National Honor Society

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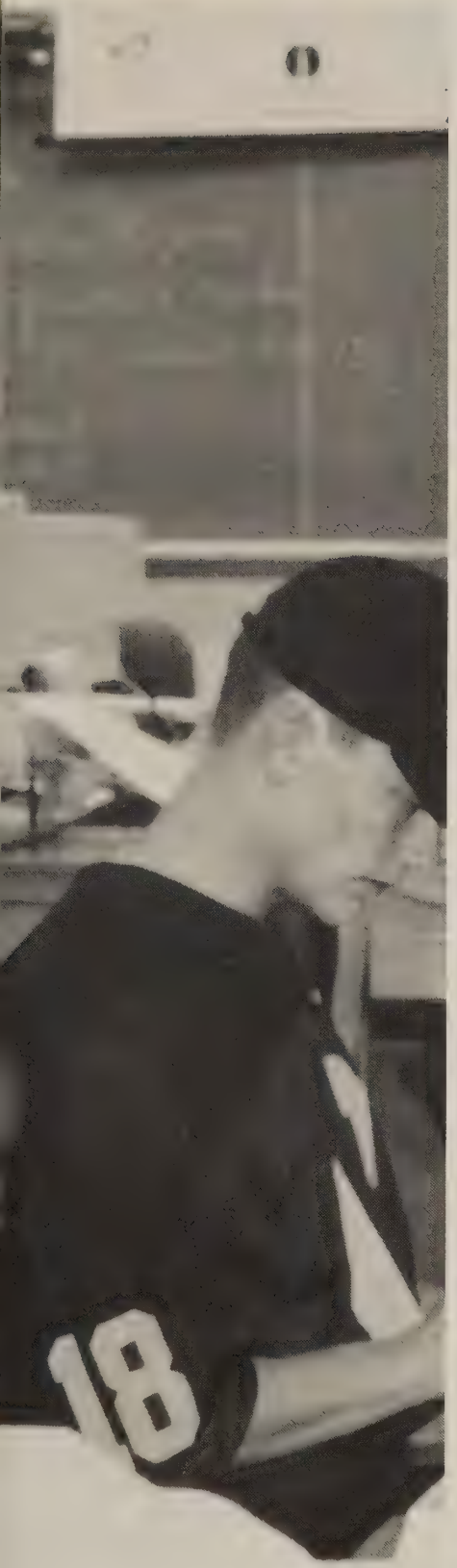
DECA

FBLA

Teresa Klem, Malisa Stinnett, Delia Racines, Noelle Myers, Manh Nguyen, Brandi Ewing, Sattina Parrish, Malanie Sutherland, Stacey Spence, Punu Nagra, Natalie Howell, Liz Fox, Jeni Littlepage, Sequoya Lovitt, Angel Higgs, Jamaal Moore, Arthur Johnson, Wendy Medina, Nadina Munwani, Kwabena Konadu, Brandy Beadles, David Fields, Saif Rahman, Shannon Adams, Shellea Williams, Tania Wilson



HERO

Chris Morrissey, Miguel Cancel, Kim Morgan, Cliff Johnson, Patina Bridley, Shaunte Wilkins, Alex Ferrer, J. Stevens, Melissa Newman, Lauren Glesenkamp, Ashanti Pryor, Tasha Berg, Dawn Loftus, Roya Sehhat, Ruthie Dow, Jennifer Crowell, Amanda Cain, Kia Wilson, Barrie Clay, Kim Marina, Evelyn Daza, Kristy Torres, Rita Mensah, Benard Farmar, Anthony Brown, William Maldonado, Nikki Obie, Andrea Bilbao, Jackie Ehmer, Yesenia Merino, Ghadah Sabbagh, Kera Douglas, Tanesia Davis, Theresa Minser, Kim Steele, Ray Woolen, Jennifer Burzynski, Erin Ellis, Nikki Willis, Nancy Begley, Ashley Robbins, Kristin Schmoll, Rena Mathews, Priscilla Cole

National Business Honor Society

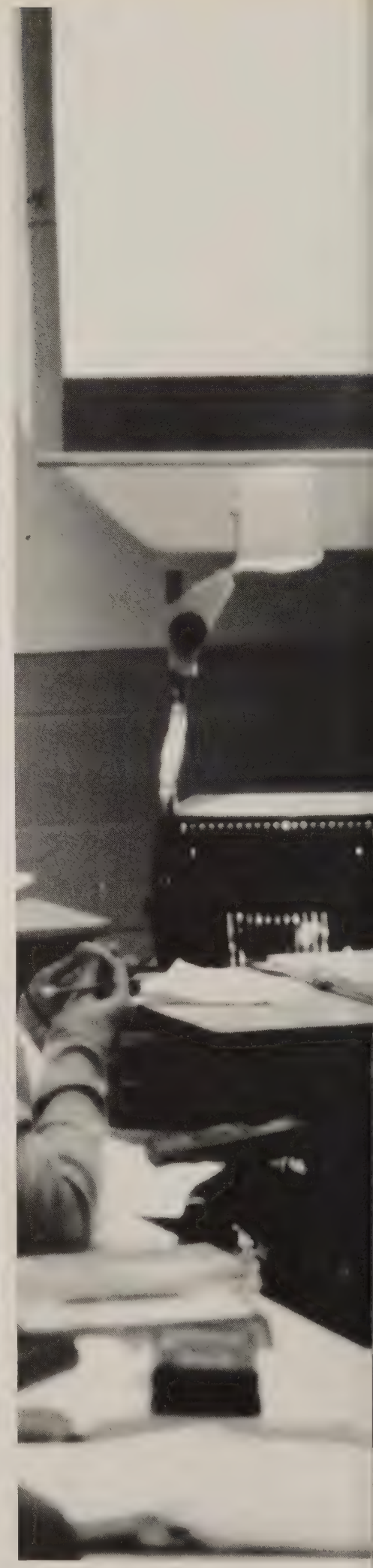
Wendy Medina, Angie Hollis, Angel Baltimore, Delia Racines, Saif Rahman

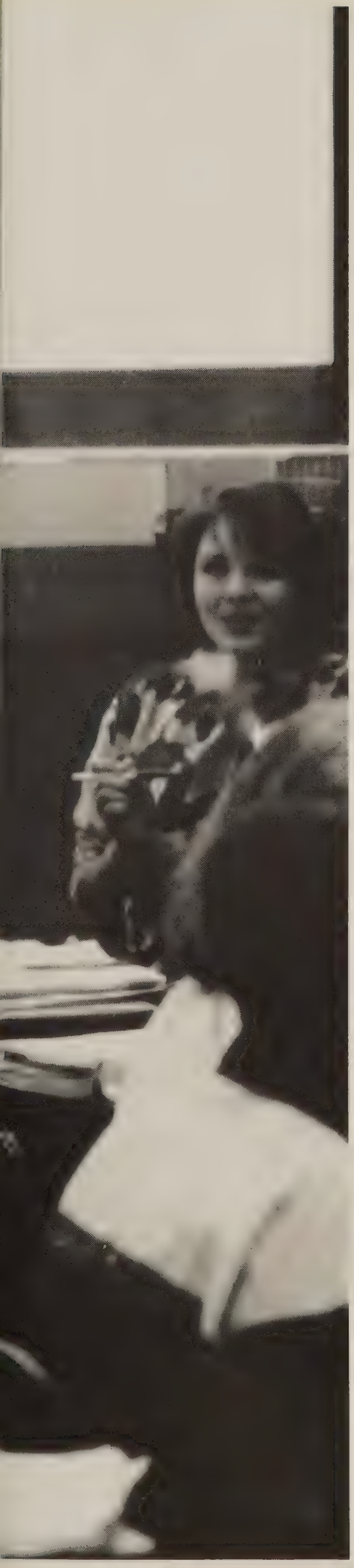
Math Team

Sam Navarro, Jennifer Rose Reiley, Laura Bordeaux, Ainslie Pearsall, Khoi Do, Liza Washington, Abby Mockovale, Deena Johnson, Ellie Meehan, Meile Le, LaShonda Maxfield, Justin Lang, Catherine Kiefer, Chris Brophy, Christy Carlson, Mike Cipford, Saurin Shah, Dwayne Goettel, Gregory Lee, Jeremy Frick, Maria L. Jonas, Tallie Littrel, Chris Finnigan, Unknown, Brian Leach, Delia Racines, David Ferguson, Justin Lucas, Kevin Noble, Freda Ampofo, Hyun Joopark, Melissa Satorre, Dianne Thompson, Alex Ramos, Rosalynn Domdom, Abe Pollack, Sandra Lobo, Jessica Hoots, Oscar Hsu, Sukhwan Kim, Tae Hwan Um

Biology II Club

Charlie Benatti, Tobi Denicle, Chris Brophy, Gregory Wong, Ernestina Boamah, Shayla Phillips, Amy Park, Kevin Noble, David Ferguson, Saurin Shah, Scott Siegel, Sam Navarro, Felicia Sellers, Benjamin Guerra, Manh Nguyen, Khoi Do, Bernadette Higgins, Alex Ramos, Son Ho, Belen Aranzana, Mrs. Perez Lasano, Michael Howes, Oliver Sharpe, Hyun Loopark, Carla Williams, Aha Collins, Brian Healy





Junior Varsity Math Team

Arpinder Kaur, Maggie Mairena, Siema Ahmed, Sadia Khan, Shazia Siddiqui, Christine O'Hara, Ashley Lounsbury, Semegnish Makonnen, Nadiha Munwani, Roxana Garcia, Laquita Ball, Mr. Paul Shalonis, Peter Munters, Steve Lee, Kera Douglas, Laura Leach, Deanna Gates, Cris Wolff, Hagen Reuss, Justin Kopenhafer, Wes Hunt, Vikash Mukesh

Biology Club

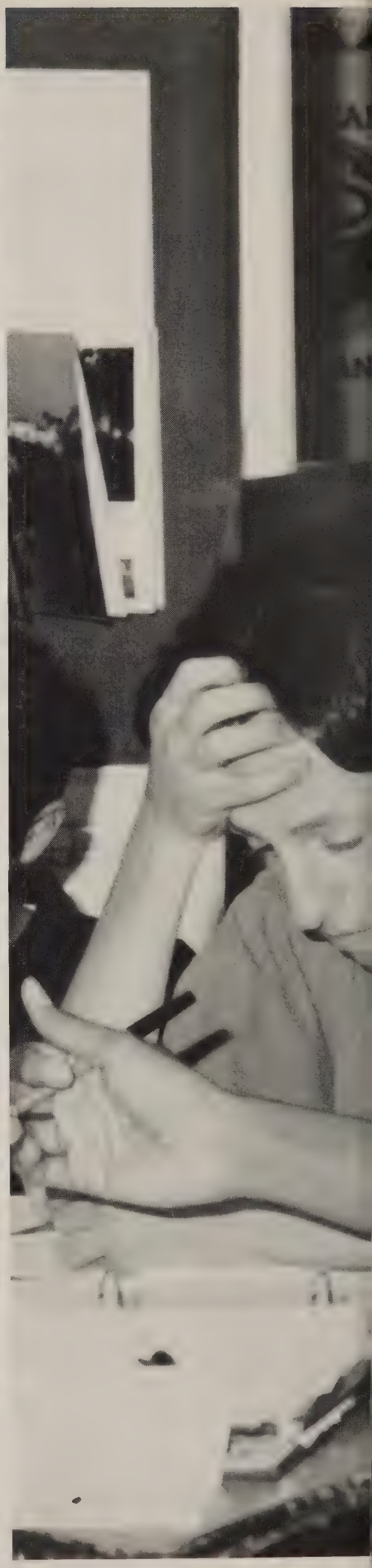
Sharon O'Connor, Stacey Spence, Stacey Smith, Wes Hunt, Matt Barrette, Andrea Bilbao, Cortney Wilkerson, David Givens, Victoria Corknill, Dinell Mitchell

Key Club

Tobi Denick, Jill Metcalf, Cathy Kiefer, Kelly Cataldo, Sarah Hoff, Kate Gillette, Rosslyn Snitak, Brenda Kennealy, Cristina Roewder, Josh Vaughn, Ms. Bissell, Ann Harris, Vikash Mukesh, Clark Fisher, Eric Chiuca, Abbey Mocavak, Billy Davis, Kerry Avondet

Interact Club

Minh Le, Liz Donegan, Lashonda Maxfield, Vivian Chao, Alice Thomas, Holly Urquhart, Chancey Deloera, Myrtle Smith, Candace Lee, Tae Huan Um, Jay Locher



International Club

Tai Boggs, Minh Le, Wendy Medina, Tania Wilson, Aseia Qureshi, Karjeet Kaur, Sandra Lobo, Kwabena Konadu, Shabani Mehta, Liz Donegan, Terri Nguyen, Annie Somphone, Diane Pearce, Arzoo Bashir, Malisa Stinnett, Wendy Amayd, Dely Racines, Melissa Satorie, Vivian Boakye, Semegnish Makonnen, Nadiha Munwani, Fatsmata Kamara, Daniell Lassiter, Abbey Woldebebriel, Son Huynh, Jenice Woody, Luis Marcano, Razwan Qureahi, Thuy Van, Tien Nguyen, David Rodriguez

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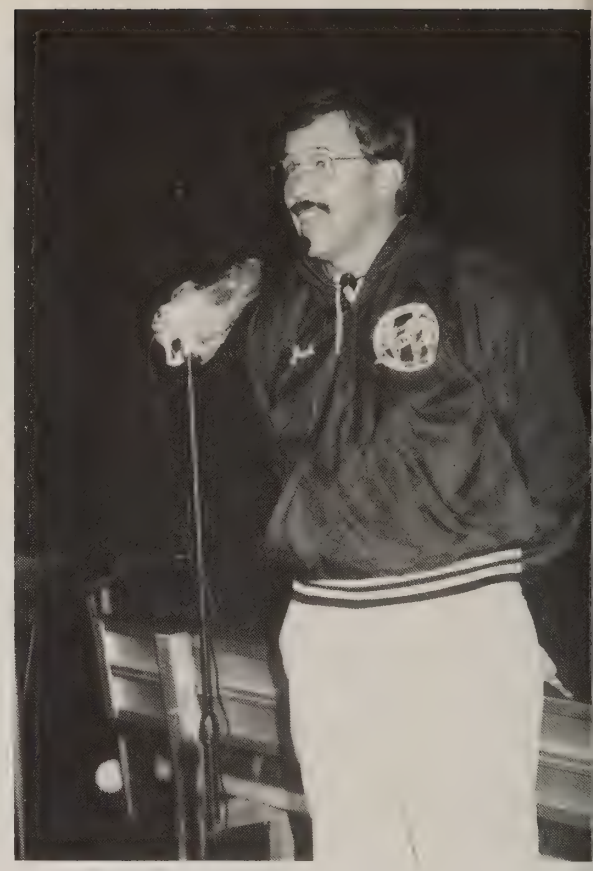
The Marching Majors
Tradition of Excellence

Once again the Mount Vernon Marching Majors had another great year. They followed their tradition of excellence and performed to the highest capabilities.

This season the Majors took a step up from their normal competition and attended Bands of America. Instead of competing locally, they went up against some of the best bands in the nation. This was no problem for the Majors, they knew what they had to do and practiced nearly everyday.

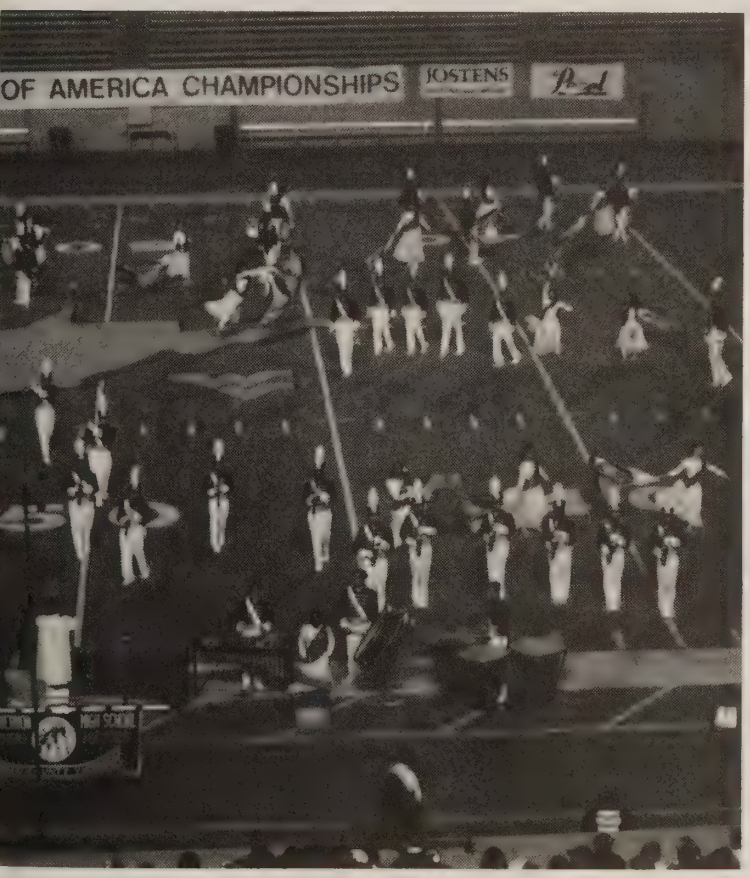
When the season ended everyone knew the hard work had paid off. The Majors took regional 2nd place in division and 35th in the nation at Bands of America. And the Majors finished on top with a division 1 rating in both the region and the nation.



Mr. Elgin addresses the crowd during Parents Night.

ne Majors put the final touches on before loading up for Indianapolis, IN.

Even in the rain the Majors shine.



ne Marching Majors perform at Bands of America Championship in organtown, WV.

Jonathan Hare helps the Majors keep the beat.

Seniors Charlie Benatti and Alia Collins walk to the field with their families.

Orchestra

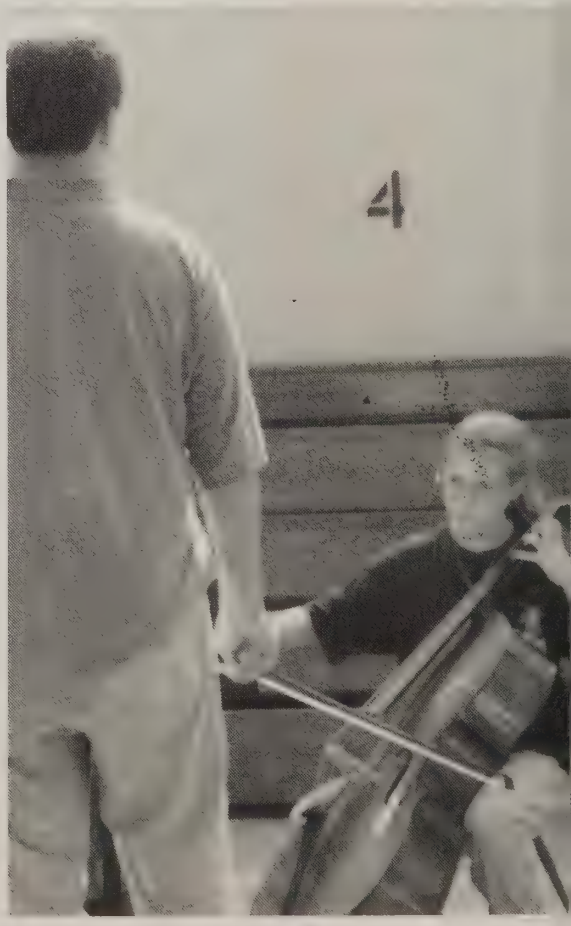
Emily Templeton, Sarah Wesley, Andy Convery, Mike Gilchrist, Selena Reed, Sylvia Reed, Lem Canady, Priscilla Underwood, Andrea Bilbao, Cornelia Burroughs, Jawan Brown, Erin Lynch, Ms. Valverde, Sharon Bradley, Destiny Brown, Roya Sehhat, Ruth Simpkins, Amaris Nunex, Jennifer Johnson, Phil Pessaro, Ben Turner, Sean Neidlinger, Mayealie Kamara, Christina Turner

National Art Honor Society

Angela Reed, Rosalynn Domdom, Jessica Hoots, Jane Shin, Jeanette Buchholz Mandeh Atash-Sobh, Don Han, Amanda Felicdan, Tai Boggs, Beata Dobrocsi, Je Lorentzen, Katy Johnson, Peter Kim

Chorus

The 95-96 Chorus before it's concert in The Little Theater.



Lem Canady tunes up in small gym before going to class an performing with the rest of the orchestra.

Forensics

'ai Boggs, Ra Yaya, Vivian Boakye, Joshua Vaughn, Austin Alvarado, Sarah Staf-
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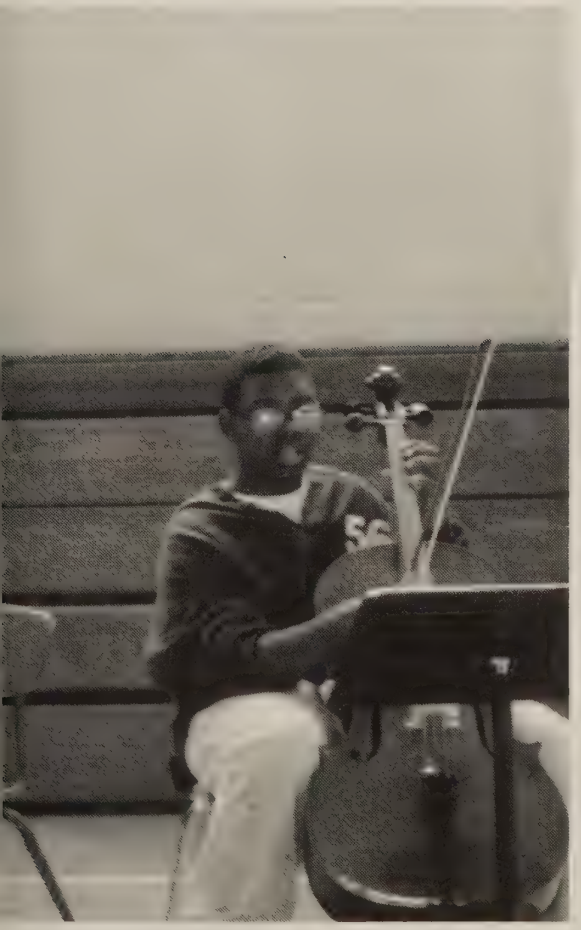
Chorus

More of the 95-96 Chorus before the December concert.



Madrigals

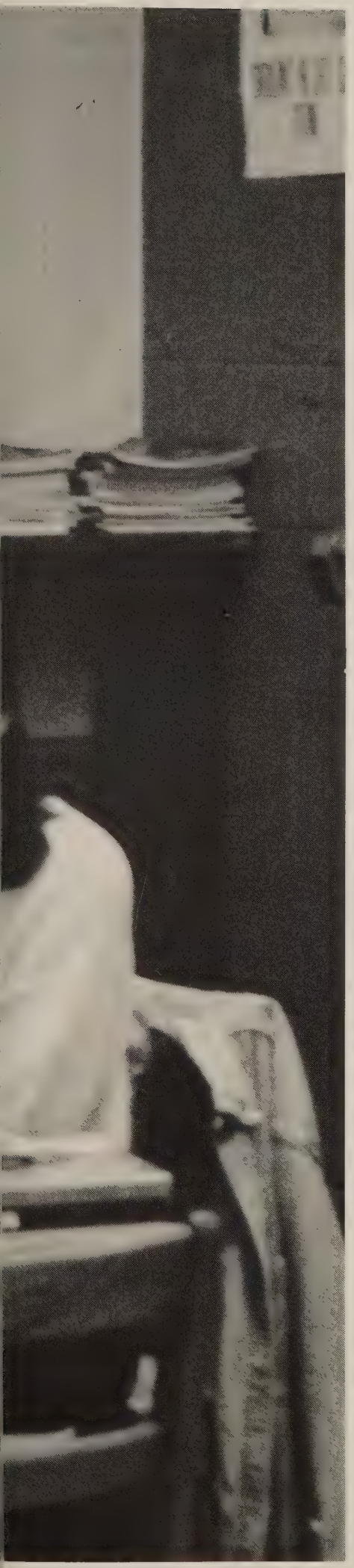
Chris Wolff, Phong Ly, Mike Golwitzer, Ann Harris, Derrick Cobey, Jasmin Allen, Pearly McQueen, Brianne Belzer, Aaron Knizer, Cathy Kiefer, Shae DuBravac, David Ferguson, Sarah Cronin, Jamie Medina, Abe Pollack, Sheila Price, Christy Carlson

Spanish Honor Society

Angel Baltimore, Carla Williams, Michelle Marrero, David Jupiter, Ms. Serabian, Abby Mockovak, Liza Washington, Kevin Noble, Luis Marcano, Khoi Do

Latin Club

Omari Mayers-Walker, Adam Bailey, Kelly Osborne, Katy Johnson, Mary Doran, Jill Metcalf, Mrs. Lee, Davon Dancy, Serena Ott, Thuy Vann, Christy Miller, Liz Donegan, Justin Boone, David Fields, Manuel Canizalez, Tae Um, Emily Anderson, David Suriya, Kevin Satterfield, Alex Tedla, Jawan Brown, Caroline Nkoyo



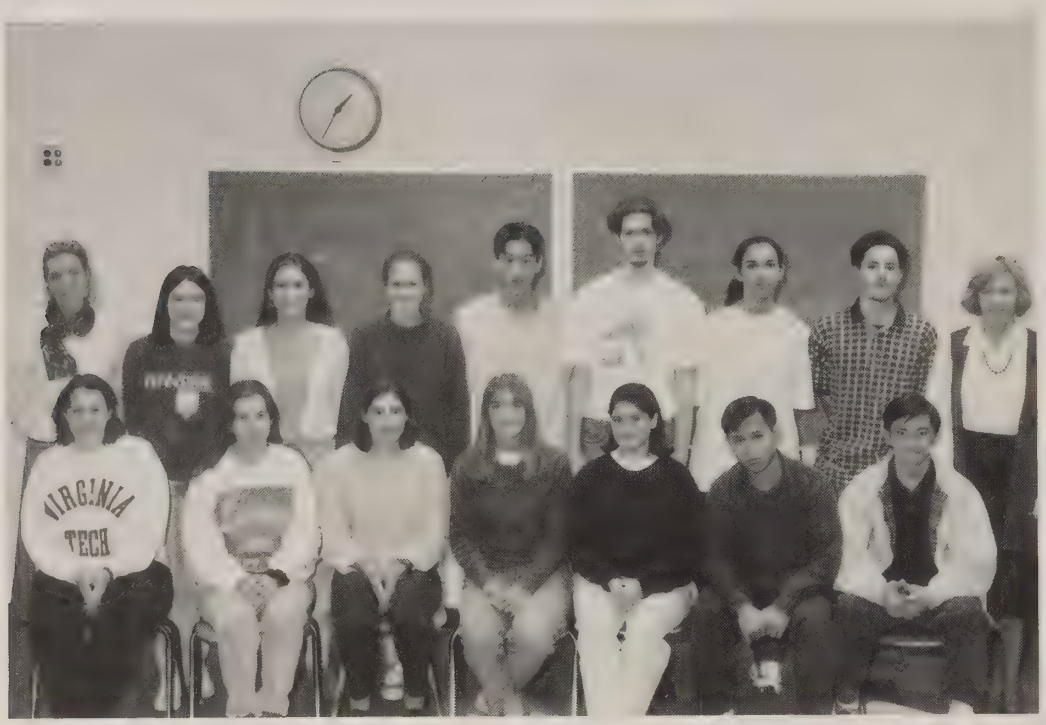
German Honor Society

Mr. Frerichs, Tae Um, Deena Johnson, Ellie Meehan, Saurin Shih, Justin Lucas, Brian Leach, Maria Jonas, Jeremy Frick

German Club

KHW. Jamil, Laura Leach, Arlene McCallum, Ellie Meehan, Saurin Shah, Chris Finnigan, Mr. Frerichs, Kim Morgan, Dusty Clark, Megan Albrittain, Sheena Sehhat, Leah Davis, Han Kim, Abby Betz, Kathryn Rakes, Faisal Khan, Khaliha Dunn, Hans Hart, Wes Hunt, Stefanie Vuoli, Kristina Buddenhagen, Maria Jonas, Tallie Littrell, Amiad Safi, Justin Lucas, Brian Leach, Aaron Knizner, Meg Russell, Heather Thorne, John Williams

Math Honor Society



Jeanette Cline, Kelly Osborne, Ainslie Pearsall, Abby Mockovak, Christine Brophy, Khoi Do, Son Ho, Mrs. Wagner, Jennifer Bauer, Beth Buckley, Tobi Dennick, Greg Wong, Kevin Noble, Angel Baltimore, Ben Guerra, Mrs. Marquis

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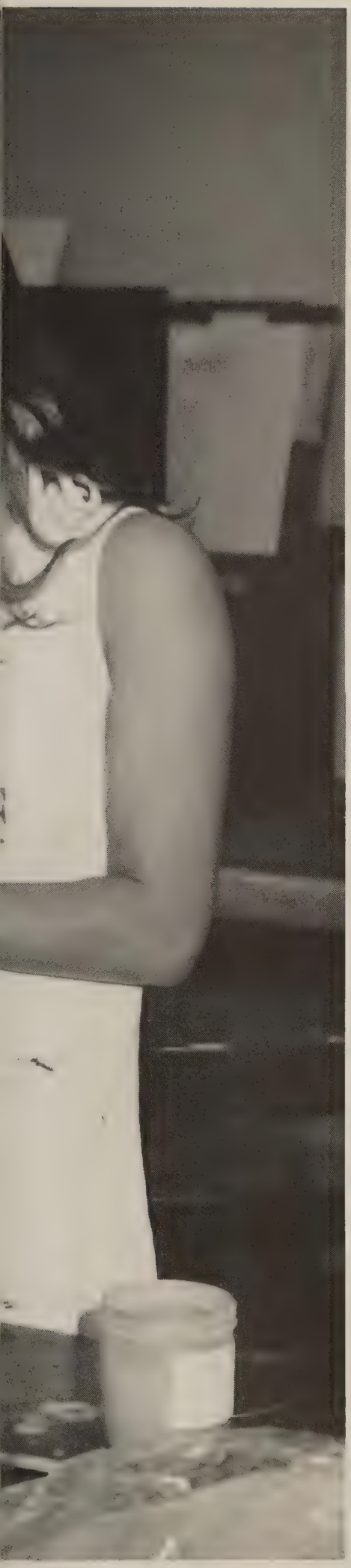
Laura Rivas, Danielle Lasiter, Champella Brooks, La'Tonya Copeland, Joel Clark, Not Pictured: David Jenkins, Joanna Luna-Cabrera, Aracelly Aranzana, Syreeta Best, Tammy Klem, Nicole Brown, Mensah Candice, Racines Delia, Deane Short, Natalee Howell, Mrs. Otterness, Lisa Colley



It's Academic

Justin Lucas, Lauren Fuy, Chris Wolff, Saurih Shah, Mrs. Wansong

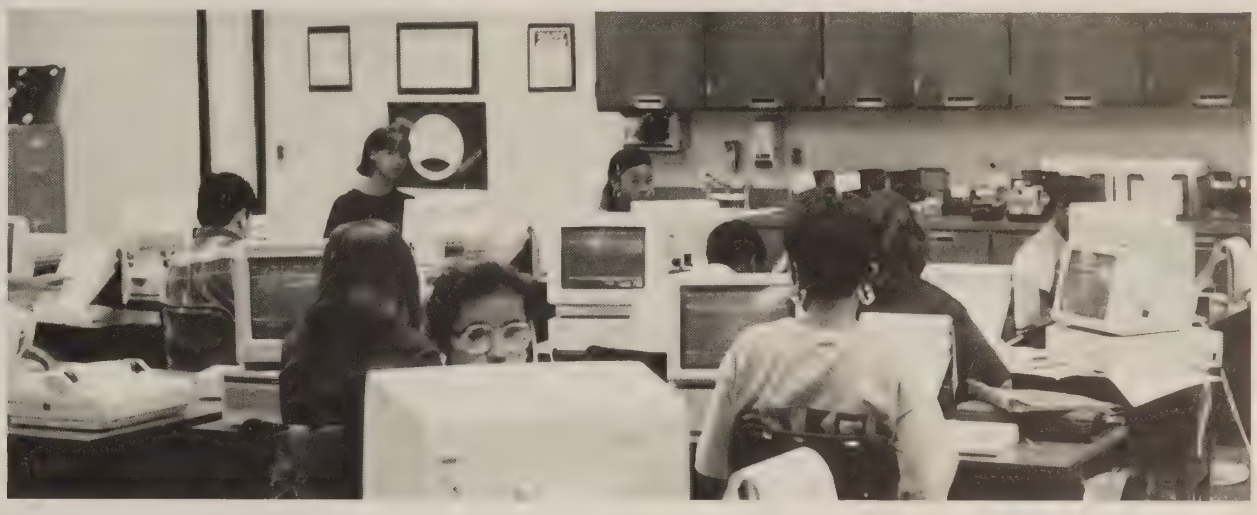
Drill Team

The Drill Team marches into the Homecoming pep rally.

Most Mount Vernon students find tests boring and dull, but this class finds amazing depth and intrigue in this examination of ones skill, absorption of knowledge, and ability to provide a tactful retort.

A class of freshman study The Catcher in the Rye. Many students use the blocking technique to hide sleep, laughter, anger, or drool.

A group of young entrepreneurs practice their typing skills. Many students take typing to improve their employability. Not only did they practice their word processing techniques, but they loaded games onto the computers.



Knowledge

Geniuses? We like so. The student body of Mount Vernon found that once out of middle school and into school with big boys and girls they gained an impeccable thirst for knowledge.

Hungry? Absolutely. Mount Vernon is a smorgasbord of information and everyday over 1500 people come inside to feed. Not only do they come here to feed, but they come and help others feed. Many students tutor their pupils in order to help their fellow humans, not to say we don't help lesser animals. Many students have pets, work on ranches and a few students work in Veterinary clinics.

And speaking of hunger, most Mount Vernon students find the food in the cafeteria to be "brain food". No not containing actual brains, but helping the brain preform the necessary tasks that make it a Mount Vernon brain. Not only do these nutritious meals enhance the quality of our work, but it gives us a reason to come to school instead of going out to lunch.

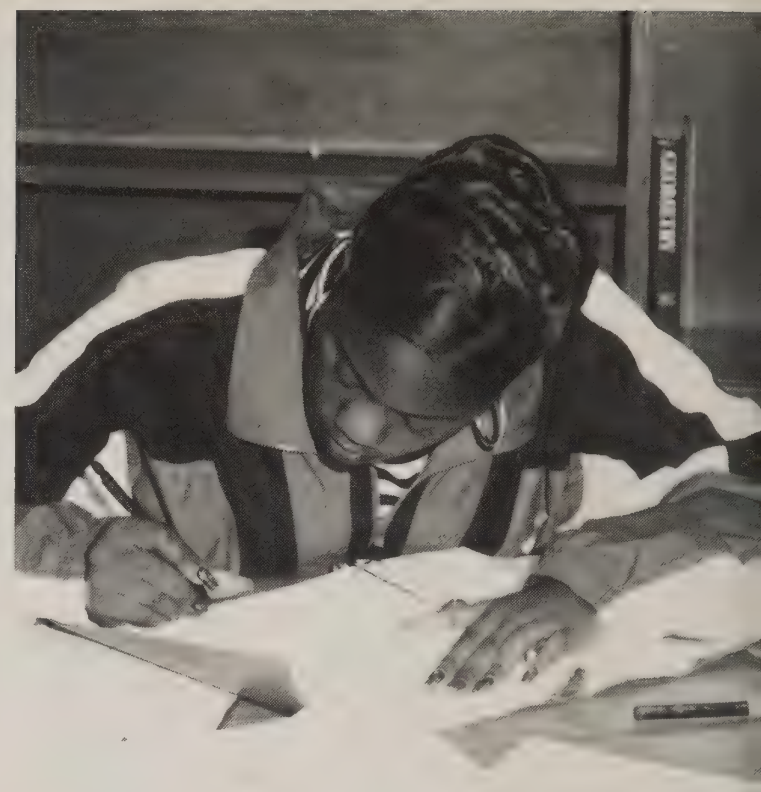
Hats are a major contributor to the retention of knowledge. A hat holds the information in the head, with a hat on there is no chance of knowledge escaping through an upward route. This leaves the downward plan to be the only chance for information to escape. Sleeping puts the bottom of the head on a desk. T he desk in turn keeps information in the head from getting out by going down.

X + .8 - m = MATH

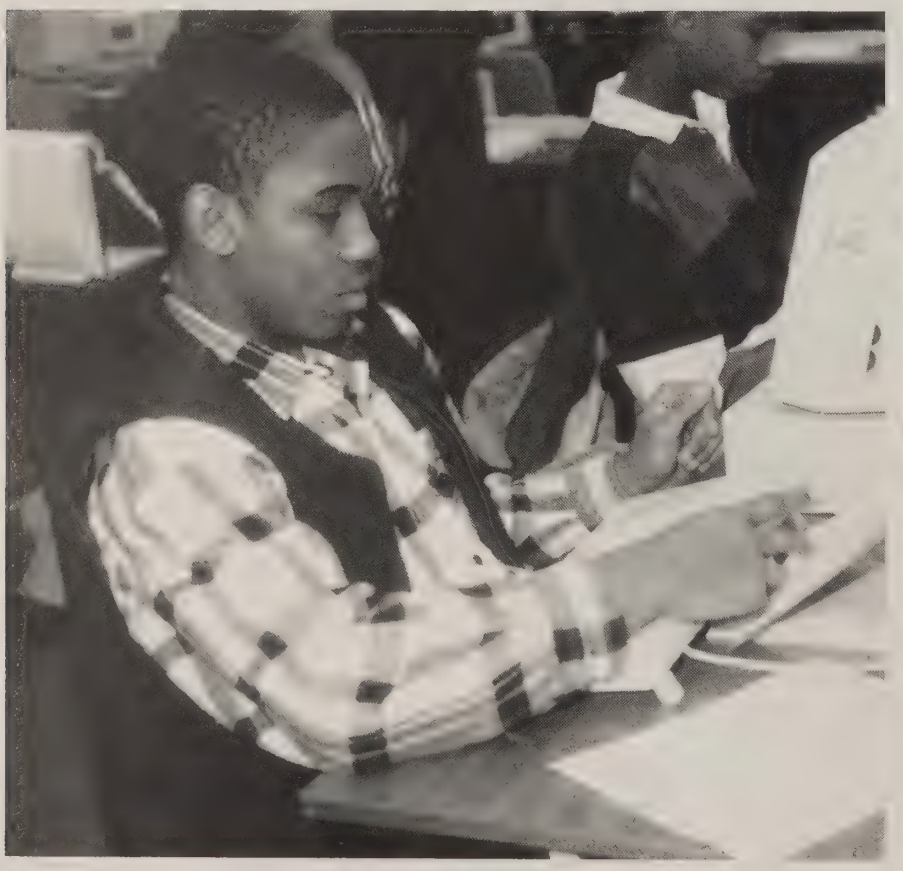
Excitement Everyday

Many students find math very difficult and dread the hour and forty minute block. Although the math department tries to make each day an "exciting project." A few still get lost. But since math makes up half of the SAT you can't stay lost for long.

The math department at Mt. Vernon is filled with teachers who are making the subject easier for everyone to understand. The math team and the JV Math Team are examples of how Mt. Vernon students are working together and making math fun. Sarah Wagner the department chair, who has been at Mt. Vernon for 21 years said the department goal is to have every student "competent in the mastery of the content and skillful in the application."



Geometry is one of the more difficult math subjects.



John Rene works on a problem during Ms. Birrell's class.

Miss Farmer finds it amusing that she has the answer.

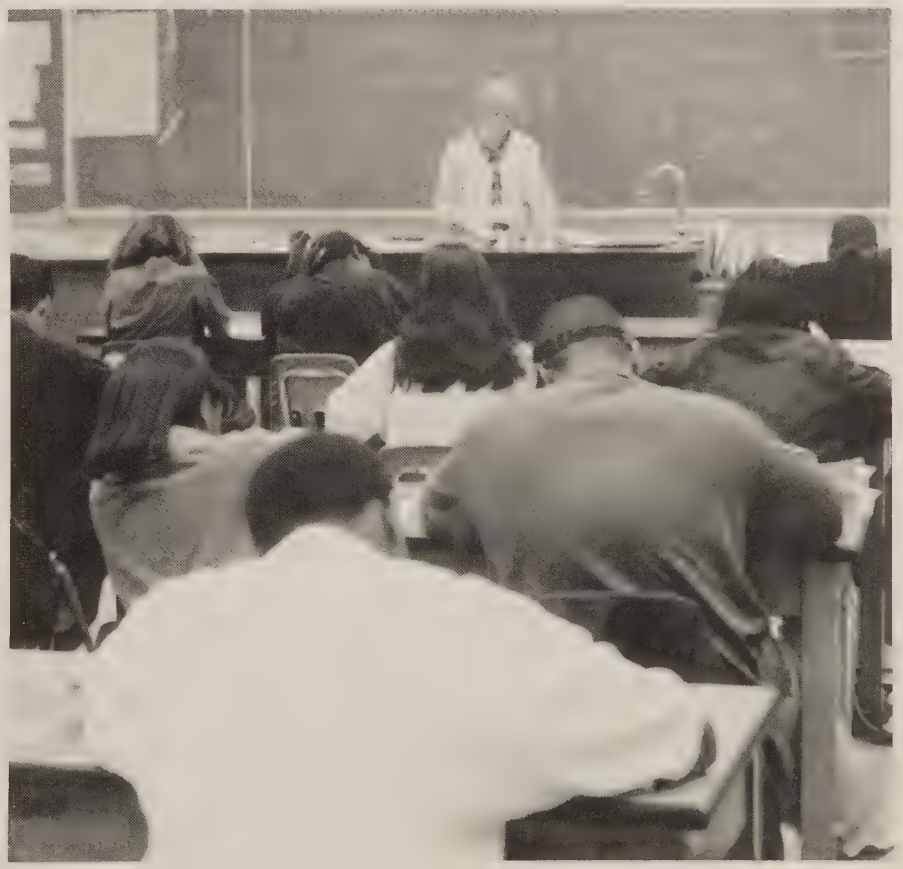
Justin Lorentzen is always concerned with safety while in the lab.

Science
Science Changes at Mt. Vernon

Many changes occured in the Science Department this year. Six new teachers were hired, including the new department chair Joy McManus. Even with all the changes one thing remained the same; Mr. Givens. Dave Givens is in his 29th year of teaching Biology at Mt. Vernon High School.

Each year students look forward to the Science Fair and this year was no exception. Students work for weeks preparing projects for this event that everyone enjoys attending. One of the goals of the fair is to see how students are applying science to their daily lives.

Wynter Oliver puts the final touch to her Chemistry assignment.



This class is working hard on proposals for the Science Fair.

English

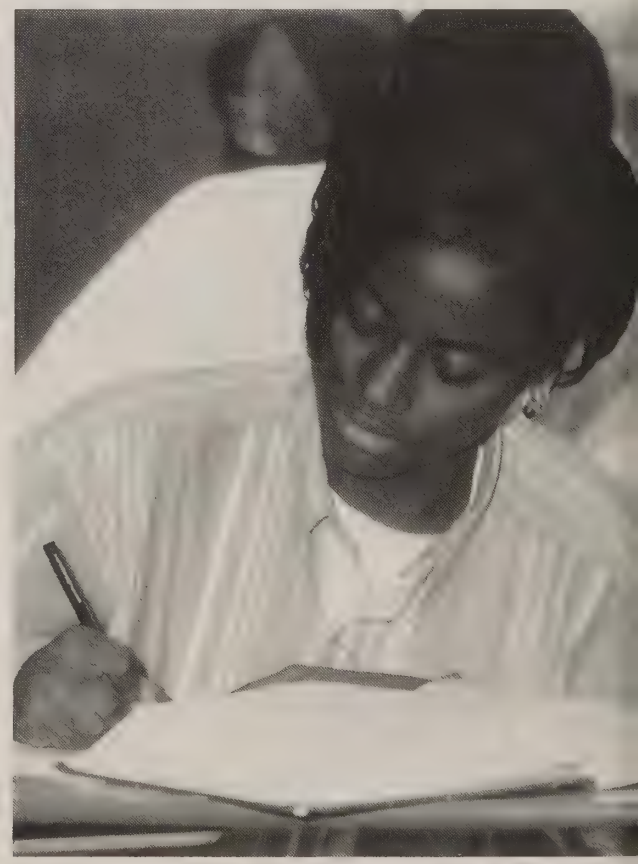
We All Gotta Take It

Without a questionnaire very few facts about the English Department can be stated. One thing we are sure of is that all students must take English each year. Most students have no problem with taking English and enjoy exploring the new worlds that are opened.

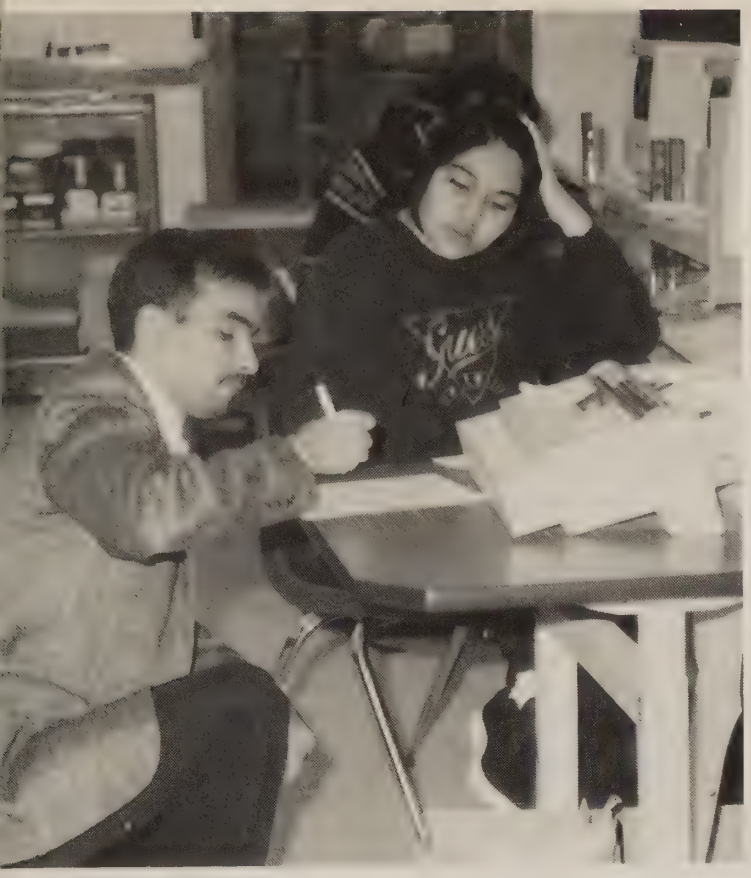
English is probably the most important subject we take. Effective reading and writing key to good communication. And when you are open minded and able to communicate well, anything is possible.

John Alexander and Rahiem Wilson lead the group.

Students have much to discuss after Mr. Ingall's class.



Kendrah Mitcham works hard during English class.



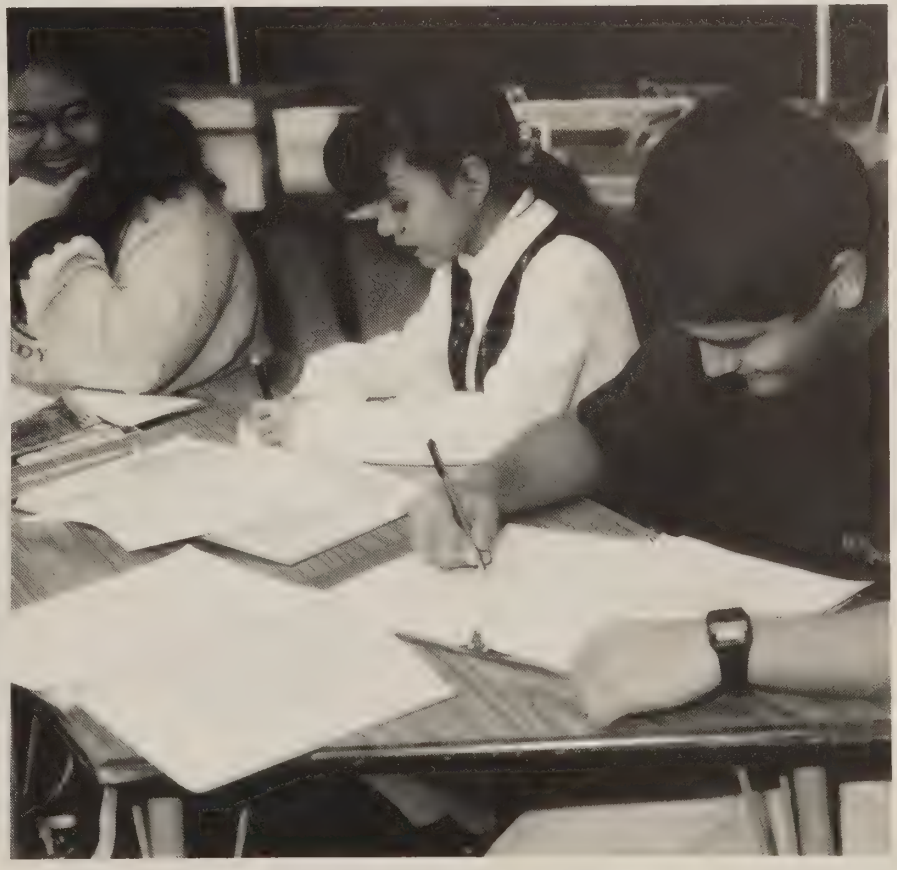
Mr. Britto helps a student in the computer lab.

E S L

We're All Majors

Imagine studying Biology, Government, Chemistry, or Physics in foreign language! The ESL department is trying to help students acquire the language and study skills they need to be successful in their academic classes. ESL teachers try to help students acquire English beyond basic survival language. They help students acquire the language they will need to be successful in whatever choices they make for the future. Sessions are held two days a week after school to assist students on projects and assignments.

No matter where you are from, lunch is a popular subject.



Neri Arias is enjoying this assignment.

WHAT DO YOU THINK OF THE ROTC PROGRAM?

ANGEL HIGGS: "It's a great class for everyone to learn leadership skills."

CHARLES COFFMAN: "It is a great class for me because I want to join the MARINES."

DR. TUCKER: "The new ROTC program has added another dimension of dignity, discipline and pride to MVHS."

After weeks of hard work the Marine ROTC Honor Guard presents the colors during the winter sports kick off night.

These young Marines pack up after a long day.

LEADERSHIP & DISCIPLINE

ROTC ADDS TO CURRICULUM

Mt. Vernon added a new dimension to it's curriculum this year with the addition of a Marine Junior ROTC program. Colonel Walt DeHoust and First Sergeant Willy Medely were hired to start the new program. And for all of the non military types it is *First Sergeant,* not Sergeant Medely!

The program has been a great success, with all of the five classes filled to the limit. Pride, discipline, honor and respect are the foundation for the program. Among other things students learn basic military customs, first aid, leadership skills, and land navigation. If the early reaction is a true indication, then uniforms will be in the classroom for a long time.

sharp Marine is a happy Marine.

The classroom is a large part of the ROTC curriculum.

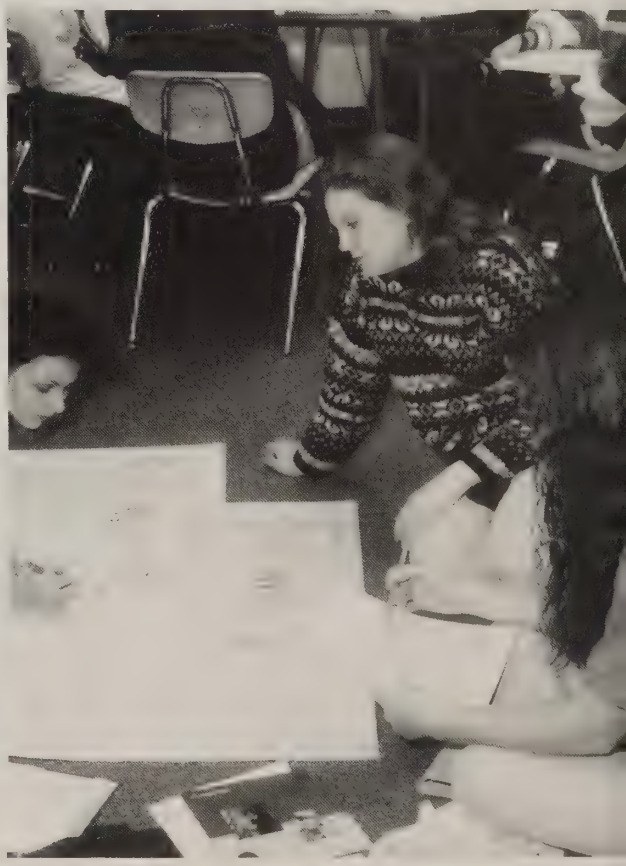
Social Studies

For The People

World Studies, U.S. History and Government are the three big subjects that are required in the Social Studies Department. Most students like learning about our heritage and origins of our government. Each year students write bills, vote in mock elections and perform in a model congress. What we are learning is the ins and outs of a huge system we are about to enter. The important lesson in social studies is to learn from our past and avoid making the same mistakes in our lives.

Mr. Sturgeon teaches from the top of a desk while his achilles mends.

Leonard Singletary gets into his work.



Aaron Wise and friends work on a group assignment in government.

Mr. Vinson teaches French but he speaks several other languages.

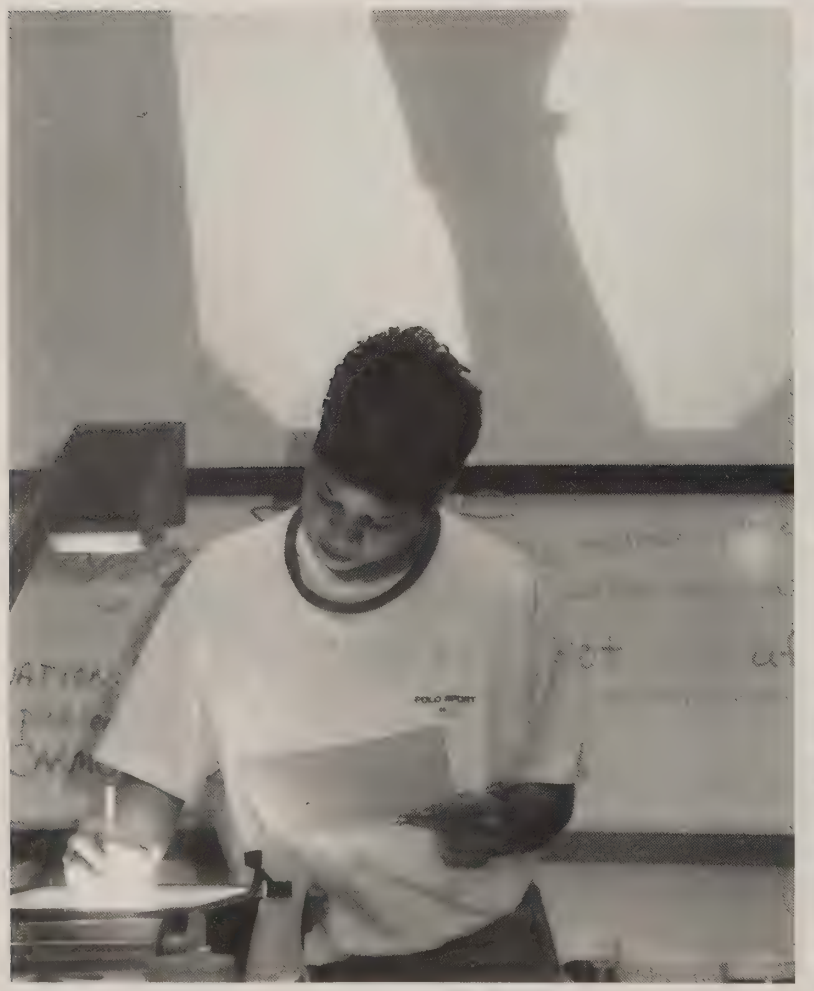
Foreign Language

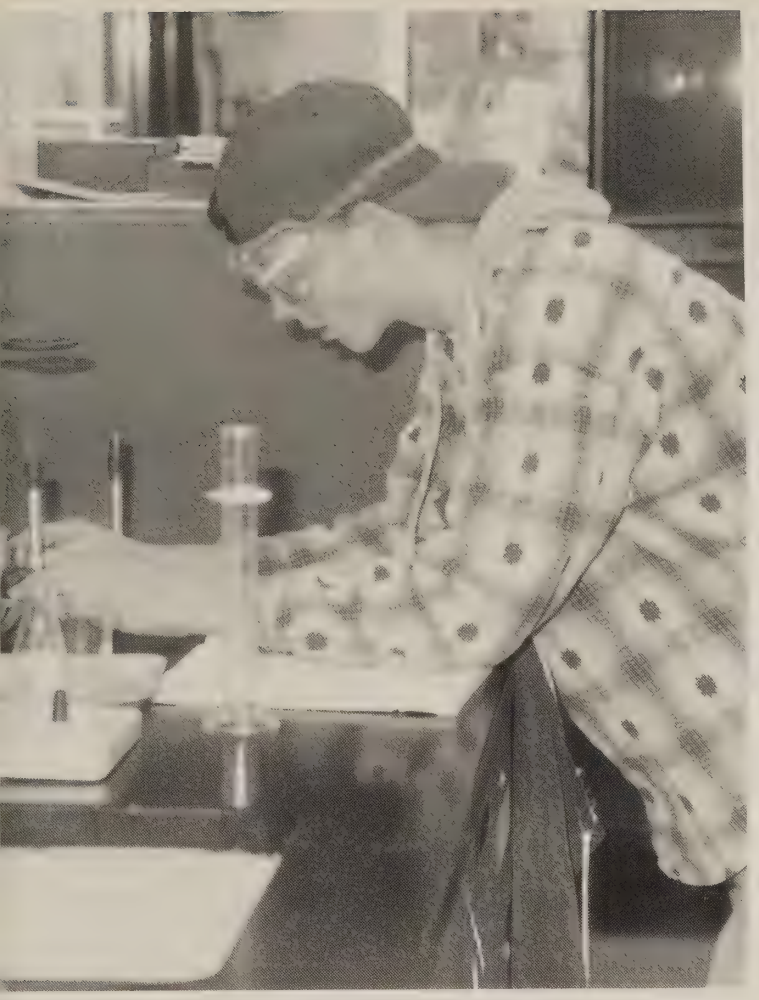
Foreign Language

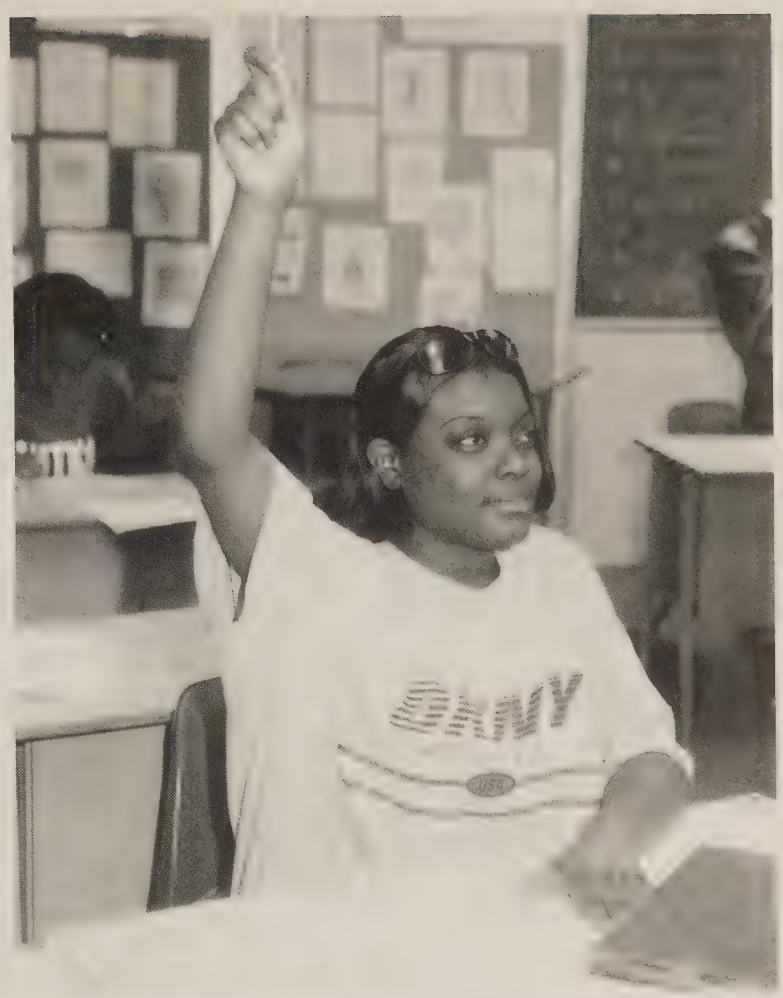
The Foreign Language Department is one that a lot of students bounce around in. Most colleges require three years of a foreign language. So,many have a hard time figuring out which one is best for them and drop one and take another several times. Mt. Vernon offers four Foreign Language courses; French, German, Latin and Spanish. No matter which one you take the best thing to do is stick with and work hard.

Mr. Tank is happy to have a pass out of Spanish.

New Latin teacher, Mrs. Lee is active with helping her class.



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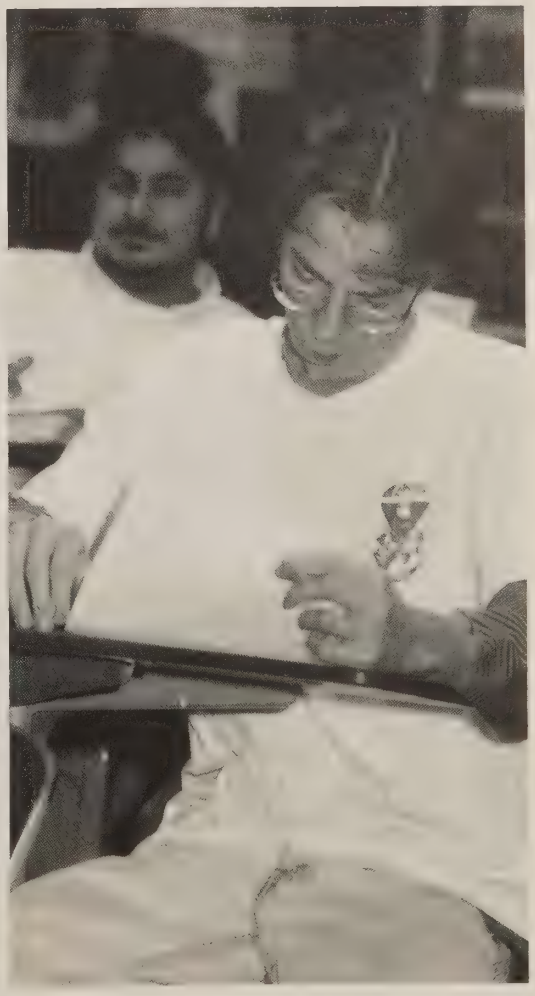


Physical Education
Getting Fit With Variety

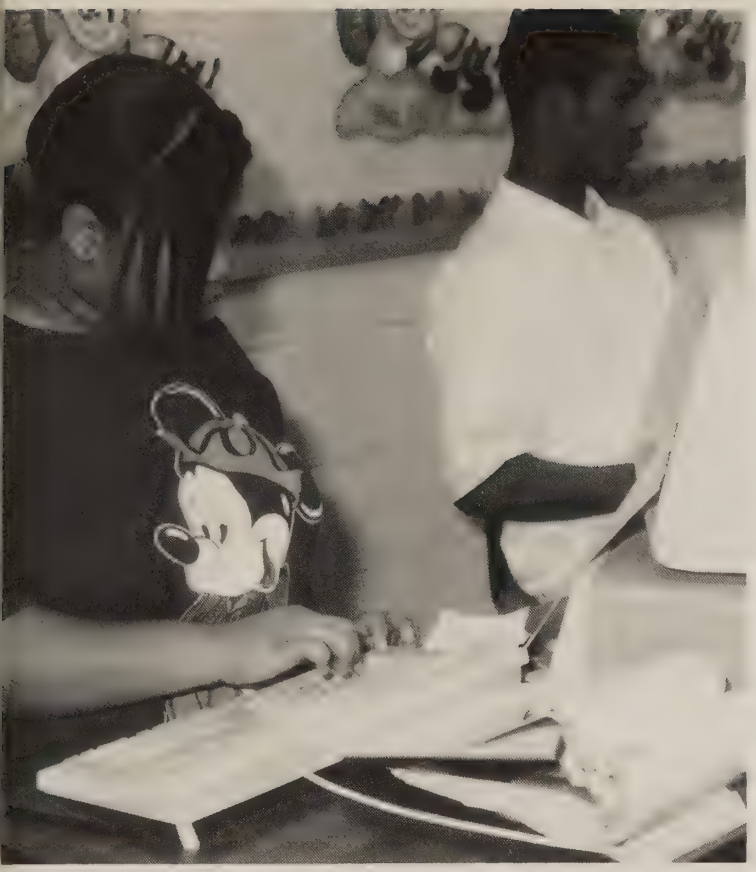
Freshman and Sophomores are required to take PE with a hope of improved fitness that will last for life. Students have a core program and a selective program to choose from throughout the year. The PE staff exposes the students to a wide range of activities with the hope that they will choose a few to continue throughout life to maintain fitness and reduce stress.

The senior person on the Mt. Vernon PE staff is Brian Taylor with 17 years. And the newest member is Marty Riddle with two years at Mt. Vernon.

Weight Training isn't just for the guys anymore.

These students are having a ball in PE.

Everyone gets a kick out of PE.

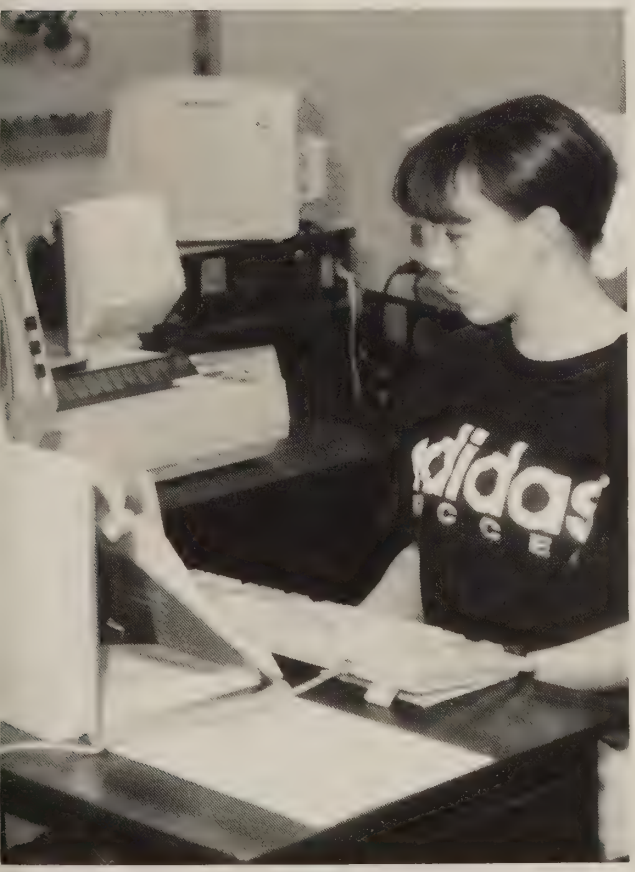


"I'd rather be in Disney World than in Key Boarding."

Computers and Key Boarding Skills For The Future

Todays computer classes are not what they were ten years ago. Since most of todays computers are so easy to use the average student has enough experience to get started before high school. So the typical "computer class" is Key Boarding.

Most of the teachers work lab time into the lesson plan to allow the students time to work on the computer. With the increased demand for time on the computer by the students, Mrs. Cook's lab stays full. Hopefully the planned renovation will make more space and add more newer computers to the school.



Key Boarding is a skill you can use, especially in college.

Ainslie Pearsall takes a break from working on her bill.

Jasmin Allen finds time for cheerleading and band.

Beach week on the coast of Africa is a tradition.

Mr Locher relaxes against a rock in Africa.

IB GOES TO AFRICA

MR LOCHER GOES INTERNATIONAL

Last summer an IB teacher had an opportunity to go to Africa. IB teacher Mr Locher got a chance to travel through places like Tanzania, Uganda and Kenya for five weeks. The purpose of the trip was to visit other International Baccalaureate programs.

In Tanzania there are two major schools in Dares Salaam and Mombasa. Mr Locher spent a week in Dares Salaam attending student and teacher conferences where everyone had a chance to work together and compare learning skills and plans for the future.

Students at Mt Vernon in the IB program are required to read fifteen books in two years. Books like *Native Son* and *House of the Spirits* are just a few. Students fill that even though the work sometimes becomes overwhelming, they enjoy being part of the program.

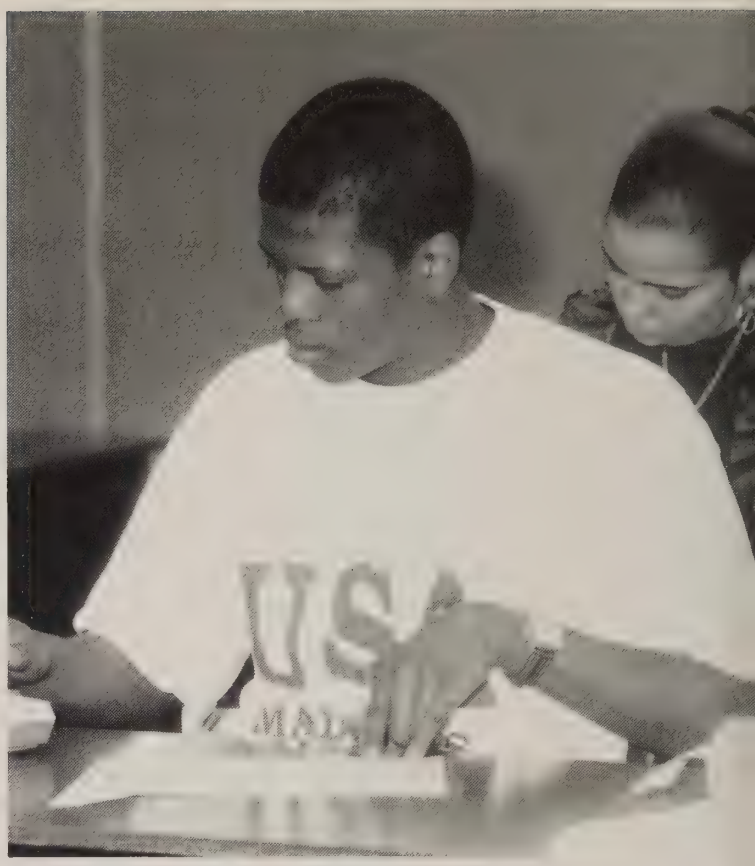
e "King of the Jungle" enjoys watching the setting sun.

The work is difficult, but rewards are worth it.

BUSINESS

ACCOUNTING/ FASHION/ MARKETING

The business department is one of the more popular subjects at Mt. Vernon. The department offers a wide range of classes that are interesting and provide the much needed skills that are demanded in the business world. Students learn the ins and outs of media marketing, retail fashion, business accounting and many more business trades. Most students enjoy doing work in a class that they know will help them in their career after high school.



David Jenkins is hard at work on his accounting assignment.

These students are working hard to balance the budget. Hopefully the school won't shut down while they try to figure it out.

No matter how hard Mrs Efthemes tries, some students just never lear how to dress.

r. Adamusko helps a student during his technical drawing class.

VOCATIONAL
THOSE WHO CAN DO

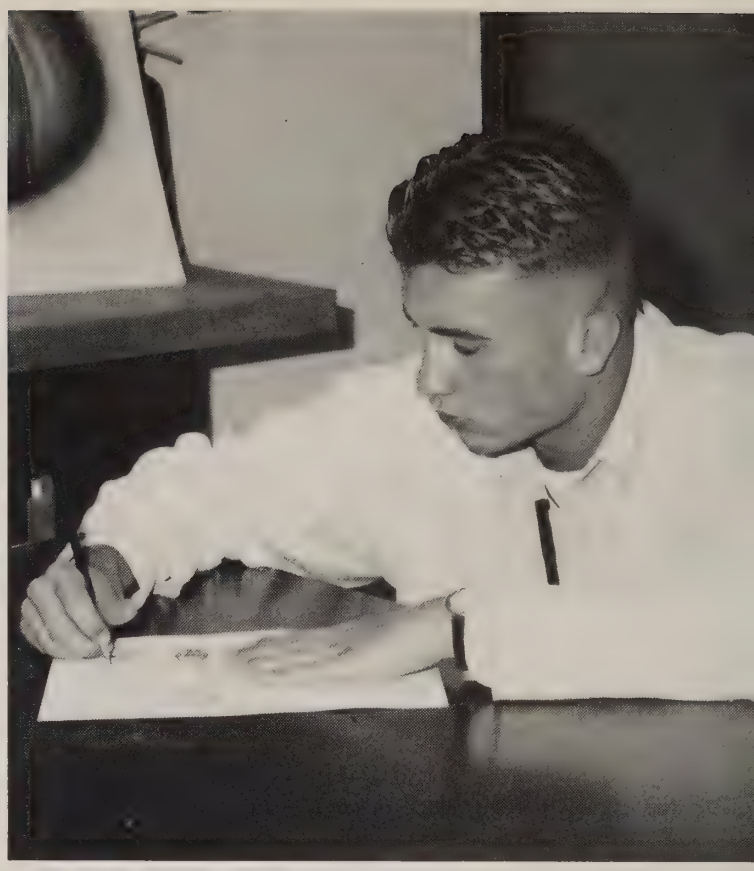
The vocational classes at Mt Vernon have been taking a hard hit lately. This year students who took Cosmetology had to travel to Edison. Next year students who take Auto Tech will also have to ride the bus to Edison. This is just one of the many ways that Fairfax County is trying to save money during these financially hard times.

ke Moon and Herman Prescott stop for a picture during their go class.

Students get "hands on" experience and learn a valuable skill.

THE ARTS
FINE AND PERFORMING

THE ART DEPARTMENT IS A DEPARTMENT WITH A WIDE range of possibilities. Students of various talents can excel in any of the disciplines that are available at Mt Vernon. If you want to sculpt a monster, act in a play, play the violin, march in the band, learn to draw, or direct a play then the Art department has something for you. These students not only have test in the classroom, they are tested in front of hundreds of people on district, regional, state and national levels.



Dan Vaughn, a transfer from Colorado, enjoys his work in class.

Virgina Daughtrey, the department chair, has her class excited about a new art project.

Tai Boggs not only excels in art, but has also performed in school plays.

The chorus performs during an early concert in the fall.

Emily Temple and Robert Brown in the drama's production of "Gaslight."

If your gonna walk down the band hall, you gotta buy some candy!

The Marching Majors play at the McDonalds display dedication.

Excitement

The Mount Vernon sports machine, an awesome sight. A well oiled, smooth, killer. A sweaty, jumbled mass of brute strength and determination. Who could ask for a better group of people? Sean Floyd, Thomas Simmons, Katie Kelly, Nick Fertel, Oliver Sharpe, Tobi Denick, Pat Langley, Jen Rieley, Ainslie Pearsall, and Quis Naviez lead some of the Major Athletic teams to victory.

Many alumni return to the school to watch their old school maintain its glory. All the students can be found at an event either participating of cheering.

With our Golf team sending three players to regionals, Cross Country preforming like never before, the Football team sending many players to districts, and Field Hockey having an outstanding year we got off to a great start this year.

"I love the atmosphere", senior Pat Langley commented, "I find here at Mt. Vernon and I will carry it with me always." As Pat so gracefully put it, each and every students feels the MV pride.

Beware National district , Mount Vernon is on a rampage!

Stefanie Vuori shows her levelization technique. These techniques are known for their productivity. The opponent cannot see the racket, and figures that because there is no weapon, they can jump the net and attack their counterpart. This is when Stefanie reveals the racket and beats her opponent to a bloody pulp.

Here Shea Dubravac displays her pride in the Mt. Vernon Girls Soccer team, the Balled Majors. Shea is a prominent member of the program.

The magnificent Chris Davis, a sophomore, demonstrates his perfect form. Chris was one of the many great golfers this year and he thanks his golf partner for all his expert tutelage.

POWERFUL

"having or exerting great power or force: *a powerful team.*"

-Webster's College Dictionary

With a racket and ball in hand the girls Tennis Team sets out to do some serious damage out on the courts. Their intensity as indi - viduals, together with team unity has made the season spectacular!

The team, lead by Captains Audrey Williams and Ann Harris faced another challenging season in the National District. Along with a new coach, Gerald Musara, the team had only four returning players. They had to build up a team that was fairly young, the girls still managed to win 4 out of the 12 matches, beating Stuart and Edison both times. The team had some extremely close matches playing against other district schools.

"I think the team became closer this year, on the bus rides home we would talk about our matches with each other," said sophomore Stacy Smith. The team built up a camaraderie with one another by activities like secret pals and team talks on the bus. They also got together and decided to order team skirts and T-shirts with a nifty saying on them. They have become more unified than ever before making the sport more fun to play.

The girls Tennis Team is building up a strong team for next season, there is only one graduating player and that is senior Audrey Williams. "The season was fun, and our hard work really paid off when we won a tough match," said sophomore Phoung Ly a winner of two tie breakers.

- Audrey Williams, 12

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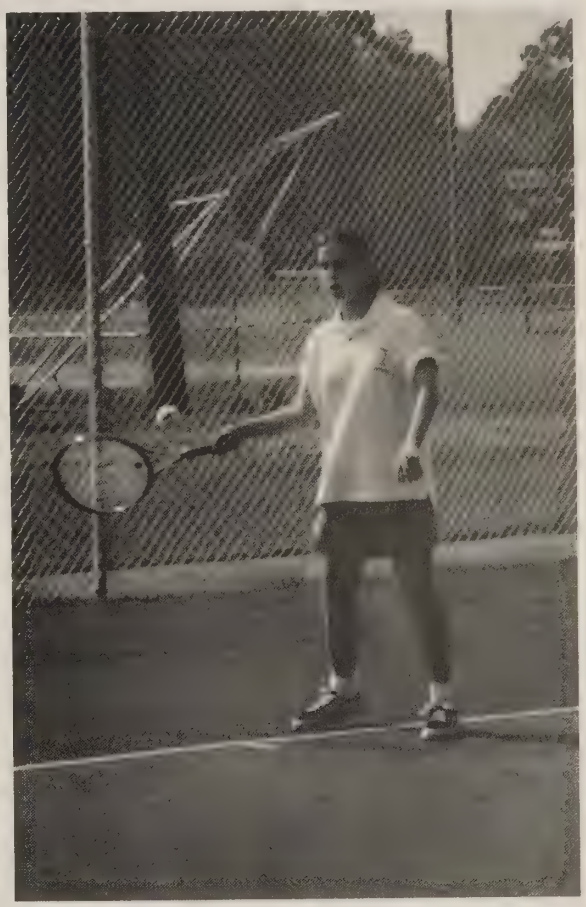
Dana Simpkins leans and stretches to slam the ball back down her opponents throut. With great perfection Dana returns many more passes to win her matches.

Junior Ann Harris, one of the co-captains of this years Tennis team concentrates hard in order to perform well in her matches.

Audrey Williams, co-captain and the only senior on the team, is not only a strong singles player but a great doubles player, and everyone's friend on the team.

Sarah Hoff is a returning player that has improved tremendously throughout this season to become one of the top 6.



"The team did better during the season this year compared to last year because we had a stronger top 6."

-Audrey Williams, 12

Scoreboard

Opponent	MV-Opp.
Yorktown	1-8
Wash-Lee	1-8
W. Potomac	3-6
Edison	1-8
Stuart	7-2
Yorktown	1-8
Wash-Lee	3-6
W. Potomac	1-8
Edison	8-1
Stuart	9-0
Wakefield	3-6

Lee Strange

Sitting: Captains Ann Harris, Audrey Williams. **Kneeling:** Phuong Ly, Stacey Smith, Stefanie Vuori. **Standing:** Paulianda Griffith, Dana Simpkins, Sarah Hoff, Coach Musarra.

CONCENTRATED

"applied with all one's attention and energy:
a concentrated effort to win."

-Webster's College Dictionsary

The Mt. Vernon Golf team had a very pleasing season, they were unfeated in regular season and placed third in the National District only loosing to Yorktown and West Potomac. Over all the team was happy with the outcome.

The Golf team has players represented from each class, the Shultz brothers, Mike and Jason were the freshmen on the team that contributed greatly to the teams success this season. Jason preformed so well that it won him first team in the district. "The addition of the Shultz brothers added a lot of ability to this team and I hope that they will be back next season," said Sophomore Chris Davis. Other new additions to the team was Senior Will Neal and Chris Davis. Returning players were Senior Pat Langley, who also scored well among the team and in the district. There was also Junior Trevor Atkins and Sophomore Steve Lee, they kept the practices and matches running smoothly.

The team was coached by Jim Sparling who retired from coaching after the season. Together the team had a great time, joking around and driving to their matches at the various Country Clubs was definitely considered one of the team's highlights. They got the luxury of practicing at Mount Vernon Country Club where it had well kept greens and a great Club House.

Although the team will be without some key players next year such as Pat Langley they still should be able to do well. They have a lot a talent and enthusiasm for the game which will help them improve and hopefully preform well enough to win. **- Ainslie Pearsall, 12**

The Golf team sets up for a match with one of their opponents at Mt. Vernon Country Club.

A new member on the Golf team, Senior Will Neal hits the golf ball up in the air hoping it will land somewhere near the hole.

"We had a very successful season and I couldn't have been happier with the outcome!"

- Pat Langley , 12

L to R: William Neal, Jason Schultz, Steve Lee, Mike Schultz, Chris Davis. **Not Pictured:** Coach Sparling, Pat Langley, Trevor Atkins.

Scoreboard

Mt. Vernon's score	Opponent	Opponent's score
196	Edison	211
167	Wash-Lee	213
166	W. Potomac	171
163	Yorktown	162
163	Stuart	220
172	Wakefield	236

Senior Pat Langley must be very steady and have good hand eye coordination in order to make the put. Golf takes a lot of concentration and skill.

Sophomore Billy Thompson runs down the long lonely trail with great speed and determination. Without breaking stride Billy runs to win.

Waiting anxiously, junior Beth Plewes and senior Diane Thompson stand after running at an invitational to catch their breathes and to see what place they got.

They are off! The girls Mt. Vernon cross country team just started a 3.1 mile race. It is a brutal race that will show each person's stamina and determination to cross the finish line.

UNRELENTING

"not easing or slackening, as in intensity, speed, or vigor: *an unrelenting attack.*"

- Webster's College Dictionary

Cross Country is a sport where runners push themselves to their limit of endurance and strength for 3.1 miles. Running uphills, down hills, and through dark woods with one pursuit, to **WIN**!

The cross country team, lead by Coach Charles Brown was small in quantity and young in age, with eleven boy runners and only eight girl runners. There was only one senior on the team, the majority of the runners came from the sophomore class numbering eleven in all. This in no way hurt the team's performance, "We have a very young team, both boys and girls, but they worked very hard and improved a lot!" said Coach Brown obviously very proud of the team's outcome this season.

The girls team finished with a 7-0 record, and placed third in the National District meet. In the Regional competition the girls team, lead by junior Carry Boyce, finished 15th. They are all looking forward to next year so they can improve even more.

The boys team is strong with a 4-3 record, and a fourth place in the National District meet and a 16th in the Regional competition. The team is lead by junior Donald Mayorga and sophomore Justin Kopenhafer, both are looking forward to a National District championship next year. With eleven sophomores on the team it is possible for growth in the next two years, if the team works as hard as they did this year anything is possible!

- Chris Wolff, 10

"We had a great season, I especially ran well in districts. The boys all ran hard and each had a personal best time!"

- Chris Wolff,10

Scoreboard

Boy's Team

MV score	Opp.	Opp. score
33	Wakefield	24
30	Wash-Lee	27
15	Edison	50
17	W. Potomac	38
15	Stuart	50
47	Yorktown	16
27	Edison	30

Girl's Team

MV score	Opp.	Opp. score
15	Wakefield	50
15	Wash-Lee	50
15	Edison	50
15	W. Potomac	50
15	Stuart	50
27	Yorktown	50
15	Edison	50

Lee Strange

Sitting: Jennifer Gardner, Deanna Gates, Beth Plewes, Diane Thompson, Carrie Boyce, Megan Berg. **Kneeling:** Justin Boone, Donald Mayorga, Justin Kopenhafer, Lisa Price, Erich Weigert, Greg Relyea, Billy Thompson. **Standing:** Justin Lang, Nuvee Netayavichitr, Chris Wolff, Alex Shiplett, Hagen Reuss, Tim McCormick.

RUTHLESS

"without pity or compassion; cruel; merciless.
- a ruthless tyrant"

-Webster College Dictionary

The Mount Vernon Field Hockey team had a disappointing season, ending up only fifth in the National District with an equal amount of wins and loses. They had some extremely closematches that unfortunately ended in the opponents favor. In the end the field hockey team gave it all they had on the field and had fun together off the field.

The team was coached by Cate Sheafe, "I think the team had a good combination of experienced players and new ones," said Coach Sheafe. She was thrilled to have a team that consisted mostly of seniors totaling nine in all. This was the largest representation of seniors the field hockey team has had in a long time. They added to the teams experience and spirit at the games and during practices. There was also four juniors and three sophomores that also helped contribute to the teams success.

Senior Captains Tobi Denick and Katie Kelly were very proud of this years team although they experienced a lot of drawbacks they still stuck with it refusing to give up. This made the games more exciting. Two games, against Edison and Washington Lee ended up in over time only winning or losing by a goal. Of course having Katie Kelly on any team would be exciting, she was positioned as a middle forward and was extremely aggressive on the field which helped her become a 1st team All-District selection. The most memerable moment for Kristin Redfern was when Katie Kelly challenged to take on the whole Washington Lee team after a disappointing defeat. Kristin Redfern is a crucial part of the offense and will be a great player in a couple of years.

There were many memorable moments for Senior Katy Johnson. "The most eventful part of the season were the pre-game parties when we ate dinner and watched a video about a mouse," Katy Johnson said enthusiastically. " Our record wasn't a good indication of our skill and effort during the season. But we all had a lot of fun, and I personally had a great last season, " said Senior Cathy Kiefer who has played on the field hockey team for four years.

Next years team will gain many talented players from the junior varsity team and hopefully improve their standings in the district. This year was definitely disappointing but the varsity team never lost their competitive spirit or pride. **-Ainslie Pearsall, 12**

Senior Cathy Kiefer runs in front of the ball with her field hockey stick in hand so she can block her opponent.

With incredible force, Captain Tobi Denick pushes the other girl aside. This and other tactics have gotten her many honors, such as a 1st team All-District player.

Captain Katie Kelly is very serious about winning. She will fight for every point, she will even take on a whole team if she has too.

Junior Suzanne Watts plays one-on-one with her opponent in order to gain control of the ball.

"We had a very BEAST team this year and we did not get what we deserved!"

- Katie Kelly,12

Scoreboard

Opponent	MV-Opp.
Edison	1-0
Wakefield	3-0
W. Potomac	0-3
Stuart	4-0
Yorktown	0-1
Wash-Lee	0-1
Edison	0-1
Wakefield	4-0
W. Potomac	0-2
Stuart	5-0
Yorktown	2-1
Wash-Lee	1-0

Sitting- Captains Tobi Denick & Katie Kelly. **Kneeling-** Mary Doran, Kristin Redfern, Brenda Kennealy, Cathy Kiefer, Suzanne Watts. **Standing-** Kathleen Fadden (mgr), Heather Kempthorne, Liz Donegan, Jenn Dodd, Katy Johnson, Coach Sheafe. **Back Row-** Aneeka Chaudhry, Shannon Adams, Devon White, Carrie Jewett, Tiffany Lynch.

PERSEVERE

"To persist in or remain constant to a purpose, idea, or task in the face of obstacles." - Webster College Dictionary

Excitement? Improvement?

Yes, 1995 was a season of excitement and improvement for the majors! But the real excitement is in the anticipation of a championship season in 1996.

Most people will ask "how is a 3-7 record an improvement?" The ones that truly see the improvement are those who are closely involved with the team. This years team had a change in attitude and in dedication that should be a solid foundation for future teams to build on. The varsity team had more players come out and stay out than any team in the 90's. And the players who came out worked hard as a team and never gave up.

When the majors took the field, excitement was sure to follow. Although they won only three games, they were ahead or tied in the second half of seven games. The Majors swept Arlington County with a 36-6 homecoming victory over Washington-Lee. The team closed the season with a hard fault loss to West Potomac, finishing 3-3 in the district.

Several players were voted to the first, second and honorable mention All-district team. Orlando Jones and Thomas Simmons were voted first team on offense. Jones became only the fifth person in Mt. Vernon history to rush for over 1,000 yards, with most of the yards coming behind Simmons at tackle. Donald Hicks was the lone first teamer on defense after a fine season at his Panther position.

While 1995 was an improved year, 1996 could be a championship season. The Majors have a crop of young talent on the J.V. and freshman teams eager to play varsity. When asked what the key to '96 would be, second year coach Marty Riddle said, "Off season weight training! This years team played as hard as they could, but we lost four games in the second half because the other teams were stronger. We have talent, but we must get stronger."

Hopefully the Majors will get stronger and build on this years foundations. Then when we look back at 1995 we will see that this was the year Mt. Vernon football started to improve.

-Ainslie Pearsall, 12

The defensive line #62, Tae Um, #73, Omari Mayers-Walker, #51, Anthony Funinan, and #53, Thomas Simmons are in their regular alignment before each play

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Aaron Kornegay, #67, and Dante Wilson, #85 run off the field to the locker room with the rest of the team. It was a hard, tiring first half and they are ready to sit down and rest and prepare for the second half.

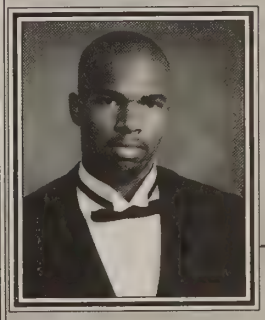
Together #35, Jeremy Sylvester and #83, Robert Carter are running with great speed to escape their opponents. The majors had some close and exciting games that the crowd enjoyed.

Junior Orlando Jones, #22, dodges left, dodges right to find a passage through the mound of players that block his way to the endzone.

Scoreboard

Opponent	MV-Opp.
Fairfax	0-27
Lee	21-28
Wakefield	**27**-12
Yorktown	**7**-3
Edison	15-19
Stafford	14-30
Wash-Lee	**36**-7
Courtland	0-33
Stuart	7-21
W. Potomac	18-44

District Record 3-3



"It was a long, hard season."

- **Thomas Simmons,** 12

Sophomore Scott Deloera, the quarterback for this years J.V. Team, hands off to #35, Jeremy Sylvester who will complete the play.

Scoreboard

Freshmen

Opponent	MV-Opp.
W. Potomac	**42**-7
Yorktown	6-8
Edison	**52**-8
Stafford	**30**-6
Wash-Lee	**56**-8
Bishop Ireton	**54**-0

J.V.

Opponent	MV-Opp.
W. Potomac	0-26
Yorktown	**22**-14
Stafford	0-26
Edison	**14**-6
Bishop Ireton	**32**-6

Freshman Team: 1st row- Julie Higgins, Andy Convery, Lenny Zambravo, George Chavez, James Ratschachick, William Sims, Jesse Vaquerano, Frank Hart. **2nd row-** Jeremy Hudson, Bobby Simpkins, Jeffery Kempthorne, Jeffery Hudson, Geovanni Mejia, Hasan Sydnar, Kenneth Crooker, John Gass. **3rd row-** Jamon Drummond, John Rene, Brian Kabinier, Daniel Bonis, Francisco Marcano, Ryan Hicks, Jaguon Dunn, Dexter Jenkins, Lee Grayson. **4th row-** Charlie Yi, Billy Hopkins, Lem Canady, Omar Hermandez, Will Owens, James Lawler. Randolph Gaddy, Cy Pollard. **5th row-** Coach Lewis, Coach Farmer, Coach Walker. **Not Pictured-** Coach Larson.

J.V.

"Overall it was a fun season. Hopefully next year we can improve even more!"

- Miqeul Talford, 10

Frosh

"It was cool. I want to beat West Potomac every year!"

- Lenny Zambrano, 9

LEE STRANGE

A Mt. Vernon J.V. football player runs towards the endzone within credible speed, dodging the opponents from the other team.

The quarterback, center and guard are lined up to start a play with the plan to acheive a touchdown.

UNDAUNTED

"undiminished in courage or valor: ***The team was un - daunted by thier opponents.*** **"**

- Webster College Dictionary

FRESHMAN FOOTBALL

THE FALL OF 1995 WAS A GREAT YEAR FOR THE FRESHMAN FOOTBALL TEAM. THE MAJORS DESTROYED THE COMPETITION, LOSING ONLY TO YORKTOWN IN A CLOSE GAME. THEIR GREATEST CHALLENGES WERE DAILY BATTLES WITH THE J.V. TEAM.

OFFENSIVELY THE MAJORS WERE LEAD BY LEE GRAYSON, DEXTER JENKINS AND JOHN RENE. STAND OUTS ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE BALL WERE ERIC GORDON, RANDOLPH GRADDY AND DEXTER JENKINS. LADY MAJOR, JULIE HIGGINS WAS ONE OF ONLY TWO FEMALES TO PLAY FOOTBALL IN NORTHERN VIRGINIA.

HOPEFULLY THIS GROUP WILL STICK TOGETHER, WORK HARD AND CARRY THEIR SUCCESS ON TO THE **HIGHER** LEVELS.

JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL

JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL IS A TRANSITIONAL TIME FOR MANY PLAYERS. ATHLETES MUST DECIDE IF FOOTBALL IS RIGHT FOR THEM IF IT IS TIME TO LOOK FOR SOMETHING EASIER. SOME SOPHOMORES ARE MOVED TO THE VARSITY LEVEL AND SOME JUNIORS ARE MOVED TO THE J.V. TO GAIN EXPERIENCE. THIS YEAR S TEAM EXPERIENCED IT ALL AND STILL HAD A SUCCESSFUL SEASON.

THE MAJORS LOST TO ROUTE 1 RIVAL, WEST POTOMAC IN THE FIRST GAME. AFTER THAT, BIG WINS OVER YORKTOWN AND EDISON PROPELLED THE TEAM TO A WINNING SEASON.

LEADING THE MAJORS ON DEFENSE WERE SOPHOMORES B.J. ARMSTRONG, SCOTT RIFFLE AND MANUEL CANIZALEZ. LEADERS ON OFFENSE WERE MIKE ELLIS (A FRESHMAN), MIQUEL TALFORD AND BRIAN TAYLOR. MANY PLAYERS FROM THIS TEAM ARE EXPECTED TO STEP UP AND CONTRIBUTE TO A VARSITY CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM NEXT YEAR!

- AINSLIE PEARSALL, 12

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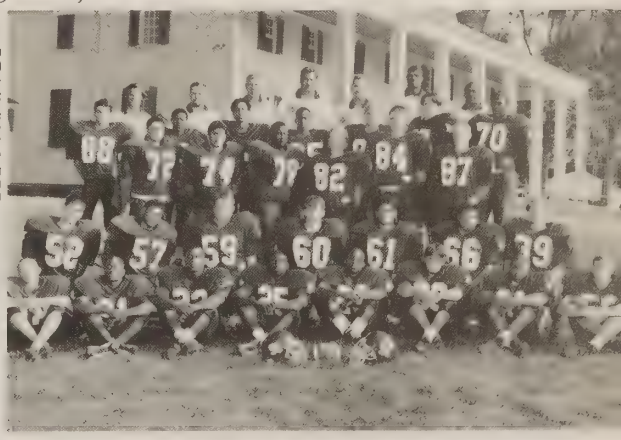
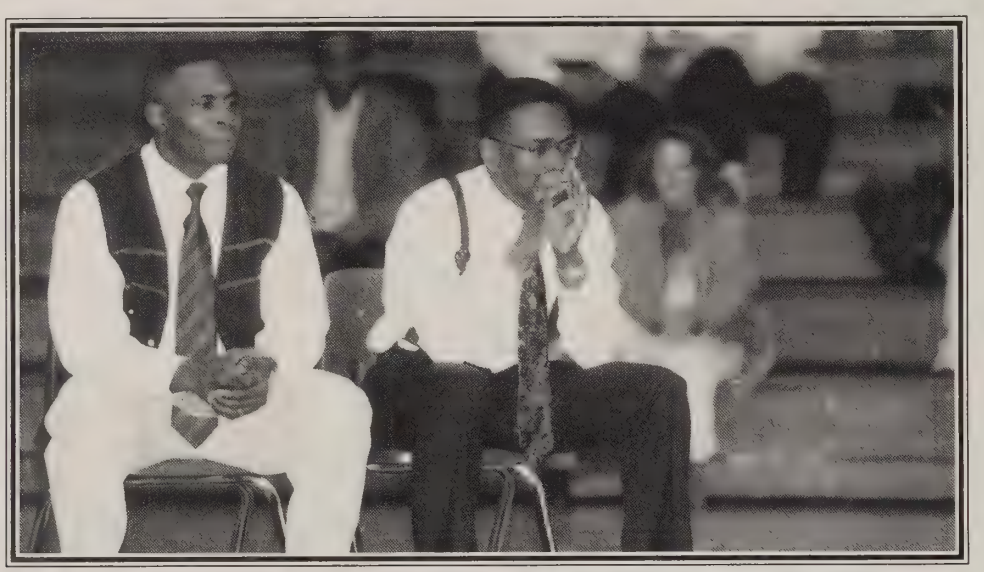
LEE STRANGE



Junior Varsity Team: 1st row- Scott Deloera, Miquel Talford, Jarrett Hughes, Derald Bryant, Kevin Cummings, Jon Galentine, B.J. Anderson, Mike Ellis. **2nd row-** Scott Riffle, James Stuart, John Alexander, Dustin Harwood, Neri Arias, Mohammed Asif, Mike Golitzer. **3rd row-** Manuel Canizalez, Faisal Malik, Mike Edwards, Jimmy Hill, Brian Talyor, Ben Harvey. **4th row-** Cory Smith, Mike Harris, Richard Greene, Antonio McLaren, Scott Fogarty, Adam Decamp, John Boamah. **5th row-** Coaches Locher, Stone, DeHoust, Stoy, Riddle, Williams, & Steele.

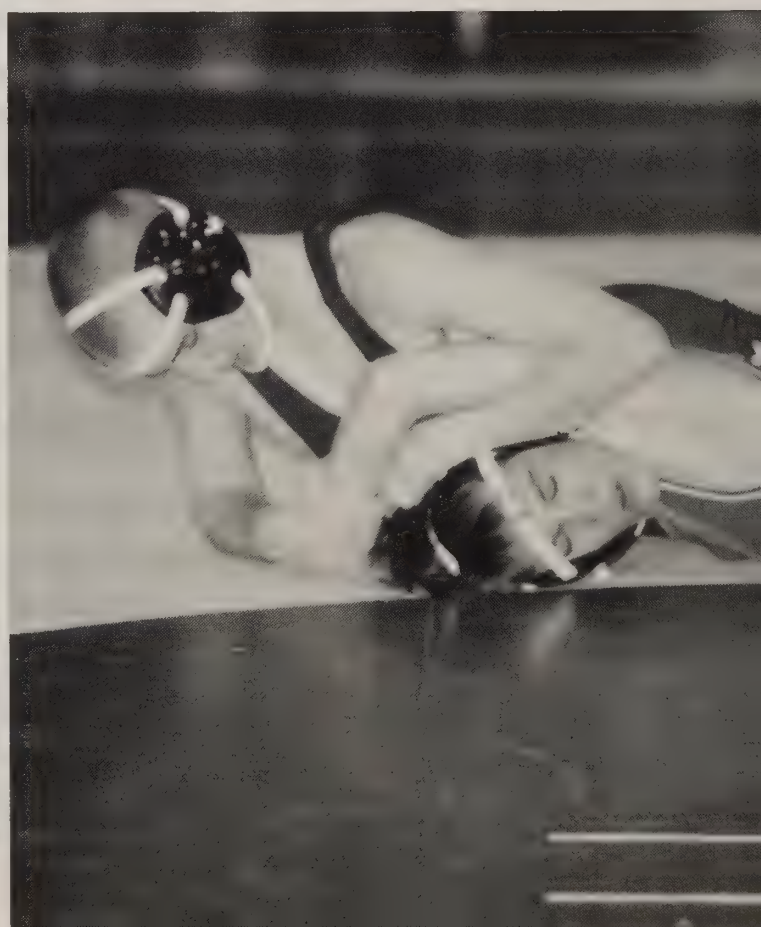
INTENSE

"occurring or existing in a high degree; very strong; violent- *Wrestling is an intense sport.*" -Webster College Dictionary



Coach Brown in his first year at Mt Vernon had a successful season with a 2nd place finish in the district.

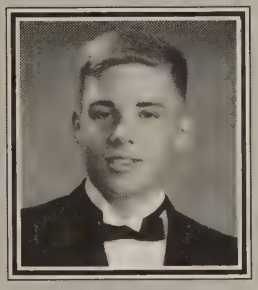
The J. V. Wrestling team



Dan Convery succeeds in putting his opponent into a Half Nelson in order to pin him to the mat.

Senior Nick Fertel has his way with his opponent. By putting certain moves on the other player Nick gains points.

Brian Healy a Senior, has been on the wrestling team for four years and was nominated for the 1st All-District team.



"Coach Brown did a good job of holding us together and keeping us focused"

-Brian Healy, 12

Scoreboard

Opponent	MV-Opp.
Robinson	30 - 41
Lee	**48** - 47
Centreville	18 -58
T.C.Wiliams	**45** -33
Wash-Lee	**45** - 26
Stuart	**49** -19
W. Potomac	21 - 42
Wakefield	**40** - 35

*** 2nd place in the district.**

Lee Strange

Sitting- Scott Riffle, -, Trevor Atkins, Dan Convery, Mike Hickman, Steve Landers **Kneeling-** Omar McNeil, Kevin Healy, Carl Navia, Brian Healy, Nick Fertel, Jon Galentine, Chris Beier. **Standing-** Laura Leach, Linda Colley, Jessica Hingle, Tony Funinan, Head Coach Brown.

SUBLIME

"supreme and outstanding- *The sublime rulers of the district.*" -Webster College Dictionary

This season was a real transition for the Boys Varsity Basketball team. The players worked with new teammates and a new coaching staff which made adjustments into the '96 season harder and longer than most years. But the boys were able to pull through and have overall a successful season on and off the court. Like all teams they won some and lost some, ending 11-11 throughout the Region and 6-6 in the District placing them 5th amongst the other teams.

There were twelve players that made up the boys Basketball team, which was led by Senior Captains Sean Floyd and Mike Gibson. The two of them started every game and were the leaders in scoring. Sean Floyd was nominated for 1st team All-District and 3rd team All Region for having an average of 13.3 points per game and having the most assists on the team. Senior Leonard Singletary was on the 2nd All District team and was able to score 12.3 per game and broke the 10 year old for the most rebounds in 9 games. Mike Gibson was chosen for Honorable mention in the District by shooting 12.5 points per game along with Pat Langley who averaged 12.1 points and also led the Majors in blocked shots. These four players including James Lyons with 10.8 points per game also breaking the 3 pointer record at the Christmas Tournament the team participated in, averaged over ten points a game. This is amazing and helped out score many of their opponents.

But it was not their performance on the court that makes this team successful but their feats in the classroom. Many of the players are scholar athletes which is making a 3.5 or 3.0 or better and that is not easy when one is participating in a very time consuming sport like basketball. There were three players that earned 3.5 or better on their report cards, Senior Brian Leach, Sean Floyd and Junior Aaron Yarbough. Fields and Senior More of them earned a 3.0 or better including Junior David Pat Langley.

The coaching staff for the boys basketball consists of Head Coach Eric Brent a Mount Vernon Graduate and former basketball star. He had help from Assistants Jay Majors and Corey Bowerman. "We finished 11-11. The coaching staff felt that the players definitely gave the basketball program something positive to build on," said the new Coach Brent. He is excited for the years to come and for the Majors to pick speed and become sublime powers in the District.

-Ainslie Pearsall, 12

The varsity team during a brief time-out gathers around head Coach Brent for a quick pep talk. This helps the players gain more confidence and reenergize.

Seniors Pat Langley , LeonardSingletary, and Sean Floyd wait anxiously and wishfully for the ball to go into the basket.

Lee Strange

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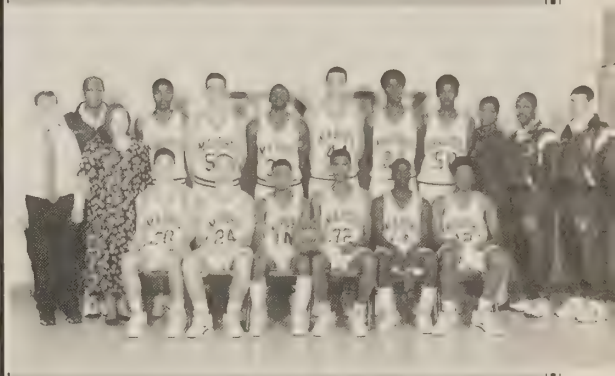
"It was a trying season and it didn't end the way we wanted it to; there is a lesson learned in everything. But it was fun while it lasted."
- Sean Floyd, 12



1st Row- Nick Harvey, David Fields, Jermey Jackson, Sean Floyd, Arron Yarghough, James Lyons. **2nd Row-** Manager, Head Coach Brent, Erin Elis; Manager, Kevin Boyd, Brian Leach, Leonard Singletary, Mike Gibson, Ray Wootan, Adriane Potter; Manager, Ass. Coach Majors, Ass. Coach Bowerman.

Scoreboard

Opponent	MV-Opp.
W. Potomac	67-70
Wash-Lee	**58**-55
Stuart	**79**-58
Edison	49-60
Wakefield	53-64
Yorktown	**61**-54
W. Potomac	**78**-68
Wash-Lee	66-68
Stuart	74-76
Edison	**74**-60
Wakefield	46-54
Yorktown	**70**-42

National District 6-6

Senior Sean Floyd, #32, takes a jump shot at the three-point line. Such shots are difficult to make, but once you sink one in it will definitely be rewarding.

Sophomore Jeremy Jackson is in mid-air about to lay-up the basketball while ignoring everyone in the way.

Scoreboard

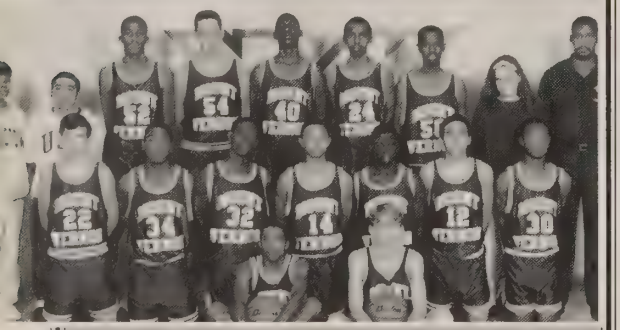
J.V

Opponent	MV-Opp.
W. Potomac	39-54
Wash-Lee	**83**-80
Stuart	**65**-52
Edison	**41**-38
Wakefield	**61**-50
Yorktown	**65**-49

Frosh

Opponent	MV-Opp.
W. Potomac	**46**-45
Wash-Lee	**71**-62
Stuart	**72**-54
Edison	**45**-29
Wakefield	**58**-55
Yorktown	46-56

J.V.
1st Row- Jarett Hughes, Lawrence Anderson, Scott Deloera, Miguel Talford, Deshawn Brown. **2nd Row-** Brett Tank, Reginald Jennings, Babatunde Fadahundi, Benjamin Harvey, Christopher Gibson, Kareem Holmes, Coach Williams, Andrew Tank, Timothy Lyons, Danelle Holmes; Manager, Quinn Mitchell; Manager.



Frosh
Sitting- Corneilus Lewis, Tim Harbeck. **1st Row-** Brian Chapman, John Rene, Amaan Lewis, Jarett Cooke, Derald Bryant, Joshua Smith, John Gass, Corneilus Burroughs, Robert Lodewick, Brian Carier, Simon Teklemariam, Juan Palm, Heather Brackner; Manager, Coach Thomas.

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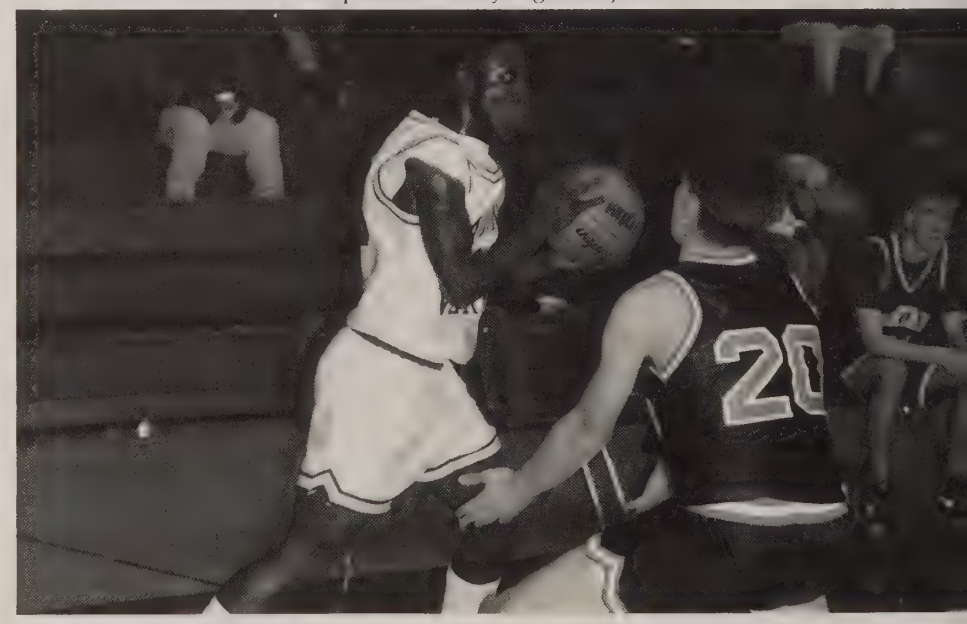


Babatunde Fadahundi, a ninth grader at Mt. Vernon must hurry and pass the ball to his teammate or shoot. He does not have that much time to think through decisions like this before the ball is stolen.

ALACRITOUS

"cheerful readiness and willingness-

The alacritous team wanted to play soon."

-Webster College Dictionary

The Boys' Freshmen Basketball Team had a very successful season finishing with a 14-1 overall record. The team also won its District race with a 10-1 record. The Majors averaged a margin of victory of about 20 points, averaging 66 points per game while only allowing 46 points for their opponents.

With excitement and enthusiasm is the best way to describe how this team played. When asked his comments on the team, Coach Thomas said, "This team learned what it takes to be successful on and off the court. With the excellent coaching staff we have on the JV and Varsity levels, I can see these kids challenging for the Regional Championship by their junior and senior years. But the key is that they must continue to work hard and improve."

The team Captains were Tim Harbeck and Corneilus Lewis. Key players were, Brian Carier who was voted the teams Most Outstanding Player, he led the team in scoring, rebounding, and block shots with 14 points, 11 rebounds and 2.5 blocks per game. Simon Teklemariam, who averaged 112 points and 7 rebounds a game and Tim Harbeck and John Rene both earned the nickname Mr. Hustle, had incredible seasons. Three point threats were made by Brian Chapman and Josh Smith and Corneilus Lewis were voted the teams Most Valuable Player.

Stand out performances of the season were by Simon Teklemariam in a game against Stuart he scored 41 points. Brian Carier recorded a season high 27 rebounds against West Springfield. Against Annandale, Brian Chapman made 5 consecutive 3 point field goals. The Majors best game was when they scored a 57 point victory over Edison.

- Ainslie Pearsall, 12

Sophomore Deshawn Brown, #13, is a guard on the J.V. team and is at the moment figuring who to pass the ball to.

Freshman Simon Teklemariam, #24, plays a forward on the Freshmen team and satisfies the postion well.

One of the three Captains, Senior Nicole Brown concentrates hard on the very important free throws. Making the free throws have won the Majors many points and possibly some very close games.

Senior Jennifer Reiley does her best to block her opponent from getting or passing the ball successfully.

Speedy, Freshman Billi Ford is a great addition to the Mt. Vernon Varsity team.

SUPERB

"admirably fine or excellent- *Their playing is simply superb.*"
- Webster College Dictionary

The Mount Vernon Basketball team once again enjoyed a successful season. The Majors finished 20-6 overall, 13-2 in the National District only suffering a disappointing loss to Wakefield. However, they were able to come back and beat Wakefield, making them champions in both the Mount Vernon Girls Holiday Tournament and the National District Tournament. They also won its first Regional Tournament game in more than a decade by defeating Centerville.

Senior Nicole Brown, one of the three team Captains led the team with an average of twenty-three points per game, the second best average in the Northern Region. She was phenomenal in managing the ball and shooting baskets. Her performance got her nominated on the All-District and All-Region teams. Also, Freshman Billi Ford led the team in the most assists and was also on the All-District team. Other outstanding players were Captain Jill Stecher, Jennifer Reiley, Angel Baltimore, Dee Philips, and of course the rest of the team. They worked well together on the court because of the hours of hard practice they had.

The popularity of girls basketball has significantly increased this season, climaxing at the Wakefield game in February. "The fans were great this year," said Sophomore Roshanna Fisher. "The increased attendance represents how much our team has evolved." Everyone has great pride for our winning girls team because the school knows the deserve the District Banner.

- Liz Gerloff, 12 & Ainslie Pearsall, 12

"The team is great; I love them all! I will be sad that I won't get to play with them next year."
- Jill Stecher, 12

Scoreboard

Opponent	MV-Opp.
W. Potomac	62-26
Wash-Lee	94-41
Stuart	96-48
Edison	91-56
Wakefield	42-53
Yorktown	92-36
W. Potomac	91-28
Wash-Lee	64-54
Stuart	70-66
Edison	94-56
Wakefield	44-48
Yorktown	68-42

National District 13-2

1st Row- Leticia Manning, Roshanna Fisher, Dee Philips, Jill Stecher, Liz Gerloff. **2nd Row-** Nicole Brown, Kelly Cataldo, Shannon Reiley, Jennifer Reiley, Angel Baltimore. **Not Pictured-** Billi Ford, Coach Farmer, Alice Thomas Manager.

Freshman Jenny Luu was one of the few freshmen that made it on the J.V. team.

Scoreboard

J.V.

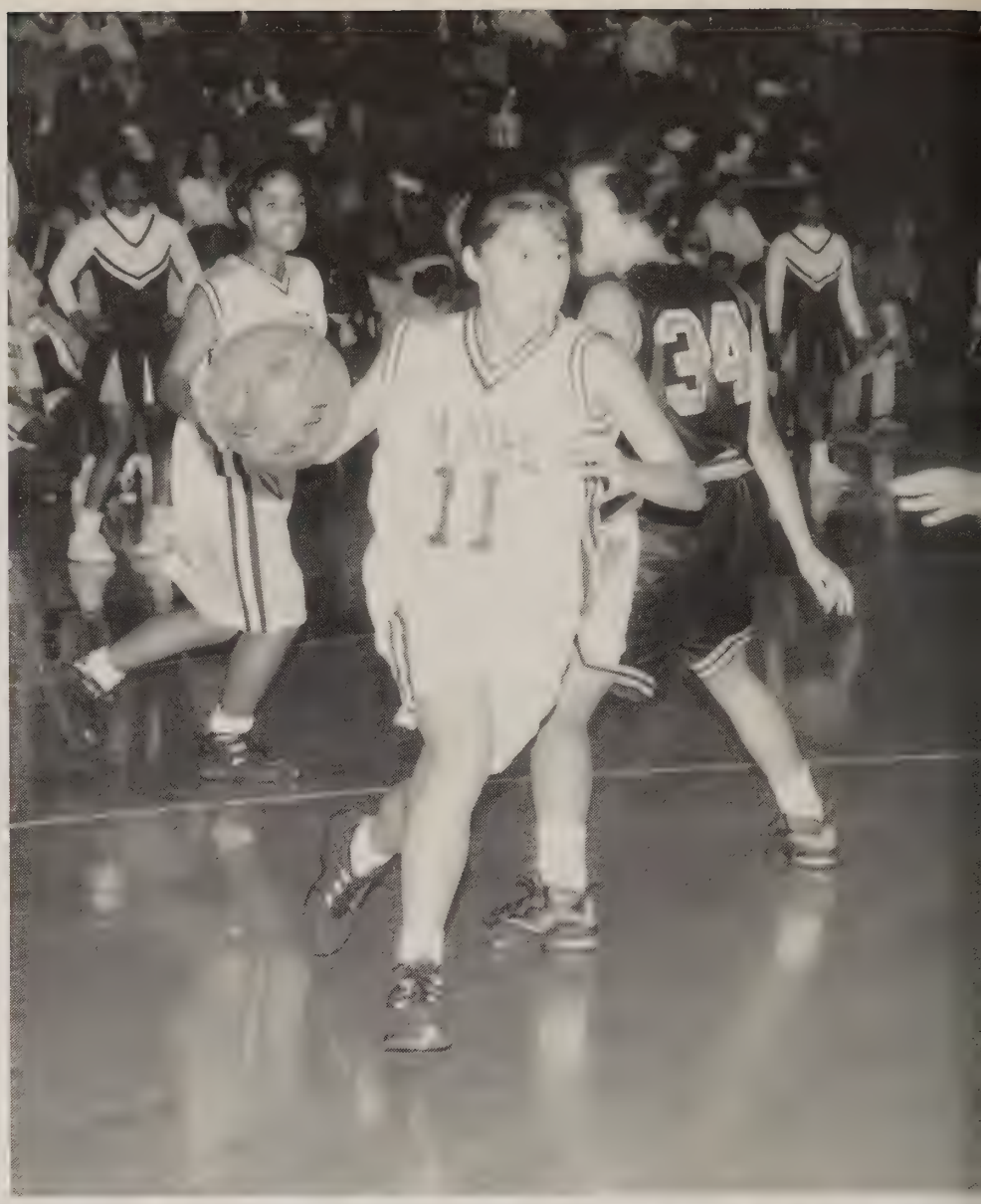
Opponent	MV-Opp.
W. Potomac	**55**-51
Wash-Lee	**47**-17
Stuart	**60**-25
Edison	**48**-45
Wakefield	48-53
Yorktown	47-49

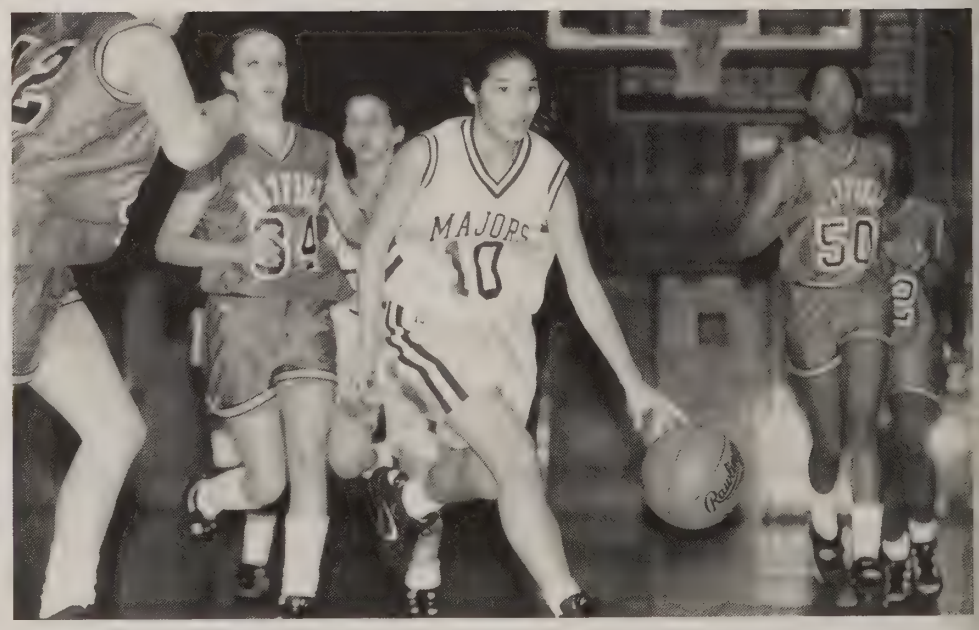
Frosh

Opponent	MV-Opp.
W. Potomac	**53**-36
Wash-Lee	**61**-18
Stuart	**57**-04
Edison	**99**-18
Wakefield	**57**-23
Yorktown	**69**-25

J.V.
1st Row- Tiffany Sith, Rebecca Gilliard, Candace Lee, JohAnna Reina, Jackie Hurst. **2nd Row-** Dana Simpkins, Deanna Gates, Beth Plewes, Tanya Nunnold, Yonnie Palamore, Marah DeNapoli. **3rd Row-** Jenny Luu, Jenny Jones, Coach Leach.

Frosh
1st Row- Rochelle Smith, Lesley Rhodes, Shay Clark, Kim Sharbel, Vannara Amathvong. **2nd Row-** Dawn Mathes, Sharon O'Conner, Megan Alboritian, Kara Buckley, Raeshawn Boyd. **Not Pictured-** Coach Bibbee, Anne Wellington.

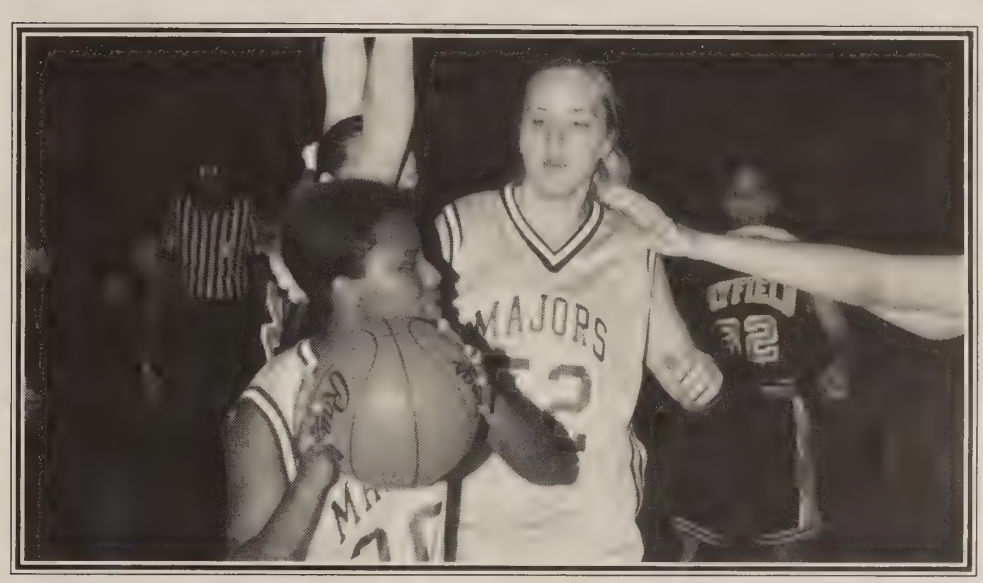




It is Vannara Amathvong, a freshman player is running down the court amongst the many opponents surrounding her.

IMPECCABLE

"faultless, or flawless- *an impeccable shot at the basket*" - Webster College Dictionary



Becca Gilliard is deciding quickly who to pass the ball to. Tanya Nunnold is in a good position to receive the ball.

The Freshmen players sit and listen to their coach for some pointers. They are all exhausted from running up and down the court.

Junior Beth Plewes a forward, trys to out run the other team's player in order to shoot a basket.

WINNINGEST

"winning most often- *the winningest team in swimming!*"

- Webster College Dictionary

The Mount Vernon Swim and Dive team got used to winning this year. At the beginning of the season the boys and girls team was not expecting to win the National DIstrict title and/or the Relay Carnival but we got a pleasant and well deserved surprise. This was the first year in Mount Vernon's history that both the boys and girls team won the Relay Carnival in the same year. The boys continued to be undefeated throughout the season and finally won the District title while the girls got a disappointing fourth in a close district meet against Washington and Lee.

For the guys team with Senior Captains Mark Southworth and Chris Dietz, had many top District and Regional finishes on the team. Sophomore Greg Nielsen finished 1st in the District for 100 breast with a new District record, and 3rd in the Region. Sophomore Robert Brown was the boys Most Outstanding Swimmer because of his 1st in the 50 free and 2nd in the 100 free, also placing 2nd in the Region for 50 free. Another successful sophomore, Wellington Gooch, placed 1st in the 100 fly and received the Most Improved award. Juniors Brian Fontaine; swimming the 200 free, and Russel Fontaine; in 50 free, placed 2nd in their events. Also Junior Hagen Reuss recieved a 2nd and 3rd for the 200 free and 200 I.M. , respectively. One of the MV few male divers, Tim Harbeck, placed 2nd in the District. Three of the boys relay's won in the district; the 200 medley relay, the 200 free relay, and the 400 free relay. They all have extraordinary talent and was able to beat out Washington and Lee for the District title.

The girls team led by Senior Captains, Laura Bordeaux and Ainslie Pearsall, also had some pretty strong finishes. Ainslie Pearsall finished 1st in the 100 fly and 2nd in the 200 free, and placed in the top six at Regionals. Laura Bordeaux recieved a 4th and 6th finish in the 200 free and the 100 back, respectively at Districts. Outstanding Freshman, Mary Malrich finished 3rd in the district for the 500 free and 200 I.M. Altogether the girls placed fourth in the District and won the Relay Carnival for the first time ever!

The swim team is one of the most interlocked team at Mount Vernon. They enjoy pasta dinners before each away meet and occasionally celebrate a win by going to Pizza Hut as a team. However they are the only team that is coed and that helps make practices and meets more fun! They hope to do even better next year even though they will be loosing some key swimmers on the team and a wonderful and fun coach Carry Tanglinger, who will be missed!.

Greg Nielsen, Brian Fontaine, Hagen Reuss, and Russel Fontaine are walking up to swim the boys 200 yards Medley Relay.

Junior Liz Brown swims breaststroke into the wall. Liz's best event is the 100 yards breaststroke in which she placed 6th in the District.

The boys 200 yards Freestyle Relay is competing at Regionals. Junior Cameron Bonner gets the honor of swimming first.

Senior Co-Captain Laura Bordeaux practices her backstroke by working on her flip turns so they are as fast as possible.

"We have always had quality but lacked the quantity to fill all of the lanes. This season we had a lot of great new swimmers that made us more competitive."

- Ainslie Pearsall, 12

Scoreboard

Opponent	Boys MV-Opp.	Girls MV-Opp.
Hayfield	**173**-121	100-206
Edison	**202**-89	**176**-133
Stuart	**169**-109	**179**-118
W. Potomac	**152**-146	146-159
Yorktown	**94**-91	66-120
Districts	**1st**	**4th**

Relay Carnival Champions

National District- Diving
Tim Harbeck 2nd
Arlene McCallum 6th

Foreign exchange student, Hagen Reuss, has a particularly wonderful experience with the Mount Vernon Swim team.

FLEXIBLE

"capable of being bent; easily bent- ***Gymansts have to be flexible to preform."*** **-Webster College Dictionary**

Undefeated! That's right, the Mount Vernon Gymnastics team went through the regular season completely untouched and it was not until the District competition that the Lady Majors were edged out by Washington and Lee. The gymnasts claim that they credit all their success to their hard work.

Most of the team which consists of about twenty girls are fresh- men and had not tried competitive gymnastics before. (floor, beam, uneven bars, and vault) However, they all dedicated themselves to the sport and worked till they mastered each rou- tine. As Junior Nina Torres puts it, "We have a lot of freshmen, a lot of potential, and a mix of people working well together." Because of the gap in ages between the many freshmen and a handful of sophomores and juniors, with no seniors; the older more experienced gymnasts helped teach the freshmen on the team. They got to know each other well by spending long practices and meets together and going to Pizza Hut before each competition. The good thing is that they will all be returning next year to claim the District title for themselves.

The captains on the team were Chelsea Givens and Junior Mieko Preston. Chelsea, an all-around competitor (competing in each of the four events) was a top performer in the District. Other all-around gymnast were Freshmen Rachel Mlinarchik and Devon Finney, they were also the highest scorers on the team.

The gymnastics team is building a dynasty of outstanding gymnasts, "A lot of us have come a long way and we hope to go even further next year," said Captain Chelsea Givens. With the team's positive attitude and all their hard work they will become if not already a strong team in the near future.

- Ainslie Pearsall, 12

The Lady Majors are standing proud for the National Anthem.

Balancing on a beam suspended 4 feet from the ground and only 4 inches wide makes moves such as a scale extremely hard to do. But Devon Finney makes it looks easy.

Freshmen Rachel Mlinarchik starts her floor routine with a flashy pose. A combination of Rachel's dancing and tumbling ability was able to place her well in the District.

Captain Chelsea Givens is able to swing through the uneven bars easily because of long, hard practices to make her routine perfect.

"A lot of us have come a long way!"

- Chelsea Givens, 10

Scoreboard

Opponent	MV-Opp.
Stuart	**108.15**-85.7
Yorktown	**126.65**-89.5
W. Potomac	**103.75**-40.75
Edison	**97**-25

Lee Strange

Alphabetically- L. Abrahams, N. Allen, L. Ball, M. Black, L. Bridgers, D. Brown, S. Burns, B, Chang, A. Critzer, L. Davis, D. Finney, E. Fox, L. Gainer, C. Givens, L. Hass, J. Joshua, L. Marlett, A. Minnick, R. Mlinarchik, K. Moran, C. Pierce, E. Potter, M. Preston, M. Rodriguez, S. Sehhat, A. Somphone, H. Teklemariam, C. Torres, M. Viphongsay, P. Vongsomsack, M. Wood.

TO GO

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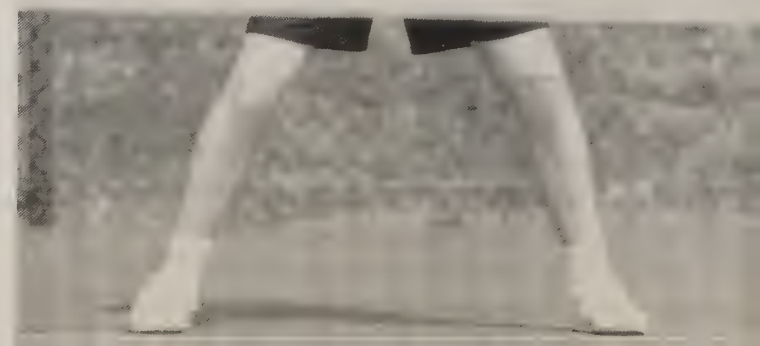
PERSEVERANT

"To maintain ones efforts- *The team's perseverance finally paid off.* " - Webster College Dictionary

Double partners, Seniors David Jupiter and Sam Navarro are amazed at the last play! Two great talents together can do extraordinary things.

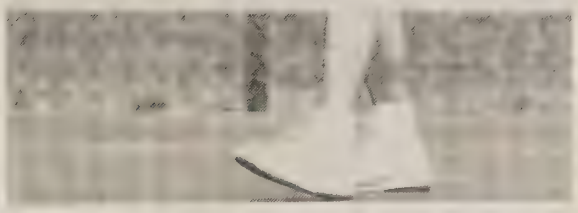
Senior Manh Nguyen with considerable concentration hits the ball in a strategic way in which his opponent would not be able to return the ball.

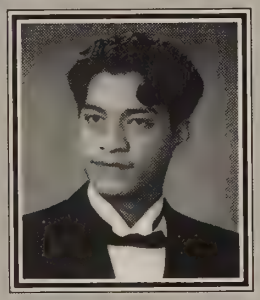


Graduate Brian Hachett waits patiently for the tennis ball to come his way.

Senior John Tang is anticapating the ball will be falling from the sky at any moment. That is why he is in the position to hit the ball.

Just about to serve the ball is Senior David Jupiter. He was one of the most competitive players on the team.





"We have definitely matured from last year and have a strong core. We will be unbeatable!"

- Sam Navarro, 12

help from, David Jupiter, 12

Scoreboard

Opponent	MV-Opp.
Wakefield	1-8
Yorktown	0-9
Wash-Lee	0-9
W. Potomac	0-9
Edison	1-8
Stuart	1-8
Wakefield	0-9
Yorktown	0-9
Wash-Lee	0-9
W. Potomac	0-9
Edison	4-5
Stuart	0-9

Sitting- Scott Siegel, David Jupiter, Patrick Lopez, Manh Nguyen, Noah Kaufman, David Ratliff, Andrew Carmichael. **Standing-** Sam Navarro, Trung Tang, Adam Decamp, Geoff Chatham, Brian Hackett, Chris Dietz, Brad Clark.

PROWESS

"Exceptional ability, skill and strength- ***The players were known for their prowess."*** **- Webster College Dictionary**

The Mount Vernon Varsity Soccer team have always played with excitement and enthusiasm and this year will be no different. There will be many experienced seniors on the team which will definitely make a difference on the field.

Last season the boys soccer team had a tough time adjusting to their competitors in the newly formed National District. They placed a disappointing sixth just beating West Potomac by one point. It was an exciting game, the Majors came from behind in the last minutes of the game and was able to celebrate a satisfying victory over West Potomac (4-3). Another great game was against Stuart during the District Tournament. The Majors played their best and won against Stuart in a penalty shoot-out.

Their were three players that preformed well throughout the whole season. Senior Kwabena Konadu made twelve goals earning him a spot on the 1st All District team and All Region team. Kwabena was rewarded the most valuable player on the team for the season. Junior Tony Fuentes made four assists and Noukan Ketevong had three assists and was the Most Improved player on the team. These players and more are expecting to return this season and do great things for the team.

This season's Head Coach is Zeff Yusof and Assistant Coach is Chuck Markson. "They have the reputation for playing exciting, attacking soccer," says Coach Yusof. The Coaches are looking forward to another exciting season for the Majors and hope that they will be able to improve their standing in the National District.

- Ainslie Pearsall, 12

The Varsity Soccer team stands silently while our National Anthem rings loud across the field. This marks the beginning of the game.

Junior Tony Fuentes with increasing momentum sets up for a kick to gain control of the ball.

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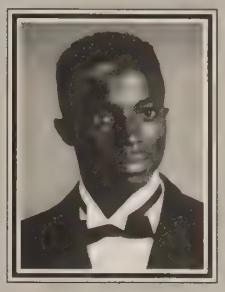

"I think that we are mentally and physically prepared to challenge our opponents. We have been working very hard and playing together as a team."

-Kwabena Konadu, 12

1st Row- Tony Merino, Peter Owusu, Qais Nawaz, Noukane Ketevong, Khoi Do, Neri Dominquez. **2nd Row-** Kwabena Konadu , Tom Obermeyer, Tony Fuentes, Kelly Hall, Roberto Cavalier. **3rd Row-** Ed Ebeid, David Ferguson, Bennett Baber, Edenezer Amfo. **4th Row-** Head Coach Zeff Yusof, Assistant Coach Chuck Markson.

Scoreboard

Opponent	MV-Opp.
Yorktown	1-1
Wash-Lee	1-0
Wakefield	1-2
Edison	1-2
Stuart	3-2
W. Potomac	4-3

2-3-1

Senior Kwabena Konadu is the top scorer on the varsity team. He has many exceptional abilities that makes him a great soccer player-- speed, strength and aim.

MATCHLESS

"having no equal; peerless- *matchless skill and courage*" -Webster College Dictionary

The goalie Justin Lang makes an amazing save by intercepting the ball before it goes into the goal.

Scoreboard

Opponent	MV-Opp.
Yorktown	1-0
Wakefield	0-0
Edison	5-0
Stuart	4-3
W. Potomac	1-2

1st Row- David Suyria, Roberto Canizalez, Robert Redfern, Edwin Martinez. **2nd Row-** Carlos Chavez, Manuel Canizalez, Chris Davis, Carl Navia, Abe Pollack, Johnny Reiley. **3rd Row-** David Amnathon, Kwung Wu Ko, Alex Shiplett, Travis Page, Justin Lang. **4th Row-** Coaches TJ Taylor, Brian Cochaney.

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What skill and control that Canizalez brother displays in maneuvering the ball. This takes a lot of talent and hard work to coordinate one's feet like he does.

David Suyria sets up for a powerful kick in order to remain in control of the soccer ball.

Sophomore Shannon Adams with tremendous grace and skill maneuvers the ball between the legs of the opponent.

Ashley Lounsbury corner kicks the ball toward the goal hoping her teammates will kick the ball in.

Scoreboard

Opponent	MV-Opp.
Yorktown	1-2
Wash-Lee	3-2
Wakefield	3-0
Edison	6-0
Stuart	3-0
W. Potomac	0-0

Captains- Kerry Avondet, Shea Dubravac. **1st Row-** Kate Gillett, Amy Donchantz, Kelly Fradey, Linda Colley, Mounmaly Viphongsay, Vivian Chao. **2nd Row-** Dusty Clark, Christina O'Hara, Patricia Kelly, Katrina Chicas, Christina Rohweder, Ashley Lounsbury, Lauren Glesenkamp. **3rd Row-** Shannon Adams, Manager, Allison Sterling, Cate Sheafe.

ZEALOUS

"full of eager desire; diligent- ***the most zealous workers"*** **-Webster College Dictionary**

Allison Sterling with her bare hands makes an effortless save. The ball will have to be a lot faster and higher in order for Allison to mis them.

At the moment, Senior Jennifer Reiley is playing one-on-one with her opponent. They push and shove each other to gain control of the ball.

Team Captain Jill Stecher runs to where there is action. She is always willing to help a teammate out when they are surrounded by opponents.

Ellie Meehan trys to kick the ball away from her opponent and pass it to her teammate. Eventually this technique will make a goal for the Majors.

DOMINEERING

"inclined to exert arbitary or tyrannical authority-
A domineering team will let no one overrule them."
- Webster College Dictionary

Last year was the first time in awhile that the Mount Vernon Girls Soccer Program was competitive in district play. The first game in the district was the one that eventually broke us. We ended up losing to Washington-Lee. We have now learned that during soccer season you can not afford a loss.

The season consists of a few out of district games, one time through the district, and then the district tournament. In losing the first district game, the lady majors were fighting an uphill battle. To be second in the district we had to win the rest of our games, and the only possible way to finish first was if Washington-Lee came away with a loss. The district title was out of our hands, all we could do was play and hope. Our dreams fell short when Washington-Lee was named District Champions. There was still time to get revenge, in the District Tournament. In the second tournament game we were matched up with West Potomac, another difficult team in the district. It was a long and hard fight throughout the game, yet the outcome was left up to the Majors and West Potomac shooting penalty kicks. This game was not for us to decide either. The team suffered a devastating loss which left the Majors with only next season to dream about.

With all the players returning; Seniors Jill Metcalf, Jennifer Reiley, Jill Stecher, Beth Buckley and Liz Gerloff, Juniors Ann Harris, Holly Jourdan, Trish Chase, Carrie Boyce and Beth Plewes, and Sophomores Jackie Hurst and Kristen Redfern. There will be three newcomers on the varsity team- Christina Rohweder, Ashley Lounsbury, and Leah Davis. This will be a year when Mount Vernon will finally decide the outcome of all their games during the 90 minutes of play on the field, and you will most definitely find the Mount Vernon Girls Soccer Program on TOP! **- Jill Stecher, 12**

"We worked really hard last year and placed well in the district. Since we've all been working in the off season and we didn't lose any players from last year, we plan to be better and win the district title."

-Jennifer Reiley, 12

Scoreboard

Opponent	MV-Opp.
Yorktown	4-3
Wash-Lee	0-1
Wakefield	6-2
Edison	4-1
Stuart	2-0
W. Potomac	0-1
District Tournament	
Stuart	4-0
W. Potomac	1-3

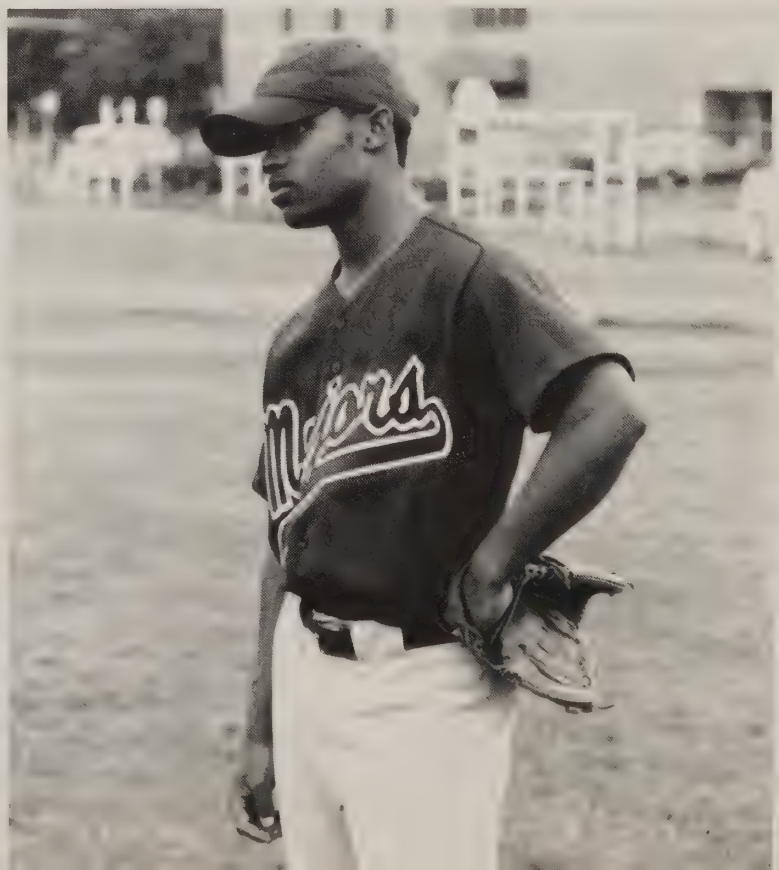
4-2

1st Row- Mandy Redfern, Carry Boyce, Jill Metcalf, Ellie Meehan, Holly Jourdan, Anne Harris. **2nd Row-** Manager, Jackie Hurst, Beth Buckley, Kristen Redfern, Coach T. Birrell. **3rd Row-** Natalie Bordeaux, Tricia Chase, Beth Plewes, Liz Gerloff, Jill Stecher, Jennifer Reiley.

LAUDABLE

"deserving praise; praiseworthy- *a laudable play*"
- Webster College Dictionary

Mt. Vernon graduate, Jim Sparling, practices for an important game in which he will hit a ball that no one can get their hands one.



Graduate Kevin Thomas is ready for anything the pitcher can throw at him. He is confident he will hit a home run.

Herman Prescott waits for the ball to come his way so he can actually play. At the moment he is styling the Majors uniform.

"This year the baseball team is young, but with our strong pitcher and team work we should do fine."
-Josh Rexrode, 12

Standing- Jim Sparling, Nathan Martin, C. J. Giddings, Jake Moon, Pat Langley, Neil Wolfe. **Kneeling-** Kevin Thomas, Lewis Register, Steven Preston, Rob Moss. **Sitting-** Jason Johnson, Frank Lamberth, Jason Landis, Rob Berrie, Eric Peverall, Brian Breshnahan.

Scoreboard

Opponent	MV-Opp.
Yorktown	6-3
Wash-Lee	1-4
W. Potomac	12-9
Edison	2-1
Stuart	4-3
Wakefield	2-0
Yorktown	8-7
Wash-Lee	3-5
W. Potomac	5-2
Edison	5-8
Stuart	6-7

Senior Pat Langley is just an incredible jock. He does just about everything. This time he is a baseball player perfecting his swing.

VALOROUS

"boldness or determination in facing danger-

They faced they're opponent with a valorous attack."

- Webster College Dictionary

"Cautiously optimistic. If we play as a team we will be competitive and successful," said Head Coach Tepper. Teamwork is an esstential in order to win the National District title. They must be able to defeat Edison and West Potomac in their games but it cannot be an individual effort. Fortunately, all of the players on this season's team are returning veterans, very experienced and extremely talented no matter where they are on the field.

There are fourteen players that made it on the varsity team for the '96 season. Many of which have played on the varsity level before. They consist of five freshemen, two sophomores, six juniors and the one and only senior, Katie Kelly. Most of them were some of the top ball players in the district. Team Co-Captains Katie Kelly a catcher was nominated for 1st team All District and 1st team All Region. Also Captains Junior JohAnne Reina was 1st team All District and Junior Cathy Hanley, top pitcher for this years team was 2nd team All District. Many other returning players were 2nd team All District, Junior Becca Gilliard, and short-stop for the team, Sophomore Cyndi Hanley. With a talented bunch of vetrans and with the help of the rest of the team they are capable of winning the National District title and advancing in the Regional competition.

"I anticipate being competitive in the District with returning, vetrans with a blend of new, young ball players. Leading the team will be a four year starter, Katie Kelly." said Coach Tepper. He has a lot of faith in the players and in the team's efforts that are always strong and positive all season long.

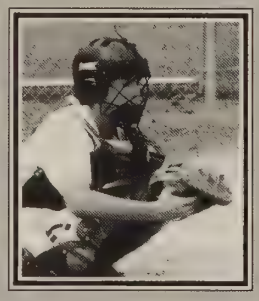
- Ainslie Pearsall, 12

The three Team Captains; Junior Cathy Hanley, Senior Katie Kelly, Junior JohAnne Reina are ready to lead the team to victory!

JohAnne Reina concentrates hard on the ball that is to be thrown at her. She was one of the team members last year that was on the 1st All District team.

Senior Captain Katie Kelly is up to bat and is determined to hit a home run. Katie is very confident that the team will do great this season.

Junior Cathy Hanley bends down into her ready position. This position is so she can catch any ground ball hit to her.



"In softball we hope to be District Champs and blow them out of the water."

-Katie Kelly, 12

Scoreboard

Opponents	MV-Opp.
Yorktown	**12**-6
Wash-Lee	**9**-0
Wakefield	**15**-1
Edison	1-2
Stuart	**23**-0
W. Potomac	**6**-5

National District 12-3

Graduate Jennifer Hanley-
In 1995 Season

- 1st Team All District
- 1st Team All Region
- 2nd Team All Met
- Member of VA High School All Star Team
- Selected 1st Team All East, by National Softball Ass.
- Selected for High School All American, by Fast Pitch World Magazine.
- Threw 4 No Hitters
- Playing ball at Winthrop University on a half Schol arship

1st Row- Cathy Hanley, Katie Kelly, JohAnne Reina. **2nd Row-** Cyndi Hanley, Christina Michailidis, Danielle Broka, Meaghan Smith, Becca Gilliard. **3rd Row-** Lesley Rhodes, Maureen Flynn, Charlotte Reed, Marah DeNapoli, Mary Malerich, Karen Obermayer, Matt Grant (mgr).

AGILE

"quick and well-coordinated in movement-
using agile movements to hit the ball"
-Webster College Dictionary

The J.V. Baseball team join hands to cheer and listen to some inspiring words from the coach.

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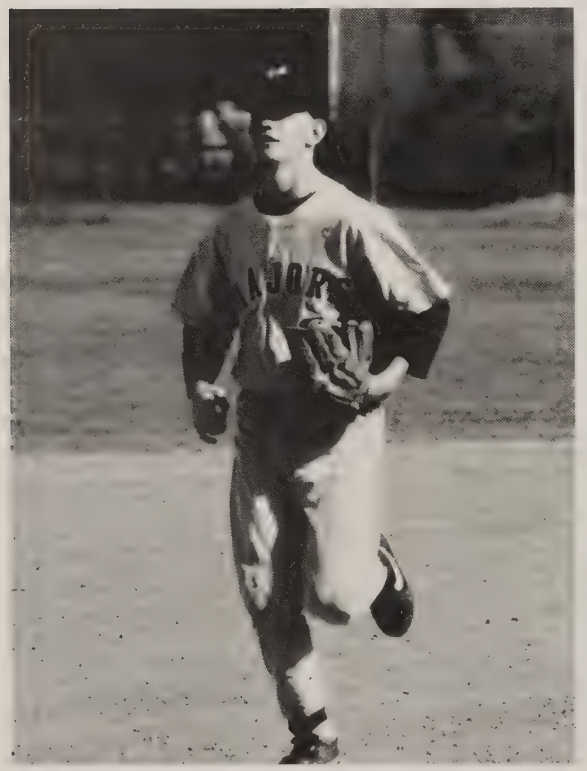


Junior David Fields runs with lucky mit in hand onto the baseball diamond.

Pitcher Chris Hare winds up to deliver a ball so fast that no one can see it or hit it.

Scoreboard

Opponent	MV-Opp.
Wakefield	**05**-04
Yorktown	03-08
Wash-Lee	**10**-08
W. Potomac	09-12
Edison	**07**-06
Stuart	**13**-06

1st Row- R. Wilson, M. Schladt, S. Bresnahan, M. Hickman, S. Deloera. **2nd Row-** C. Hare, T. Ingiosi, A. Freese, R. Freese, J. Galentine. **3rd Row-** A. Tank, B. Tank, D. Fields, R. Acosta, B. Bridgeman, M. Loan, T. Gulino.

Sitting- Bonnie Rittenberry, Tiffany Smith, Kymber Scott. **2nd Row-** Roya Sehhat, Shiell Ramos, Sharon Ramos, -, Brandy Beadles, Erika Johnson, Rosanne Lightowler. **3rd Row-** Carrie Brown, Alice Thomas, Wynter Oliver, Cornelia Burroughs, Laura Leach, Jahdene Duffy, Manager, Manager, Coach Stoy.

Scoreboard

Opponent	MV-Opp.
Wakefield	22-21
Yorktown	**12**-08
Wash-Lee	21-04
Hayfield	13-17
W. Potomac	12-20
Edison	**19**-09
Wakefield	**22**-21
Yorktown	**12**-08
Wash-Lee	**15**-00
W. Potomac	22-25
Edison	**19**-09
Edison	06-14

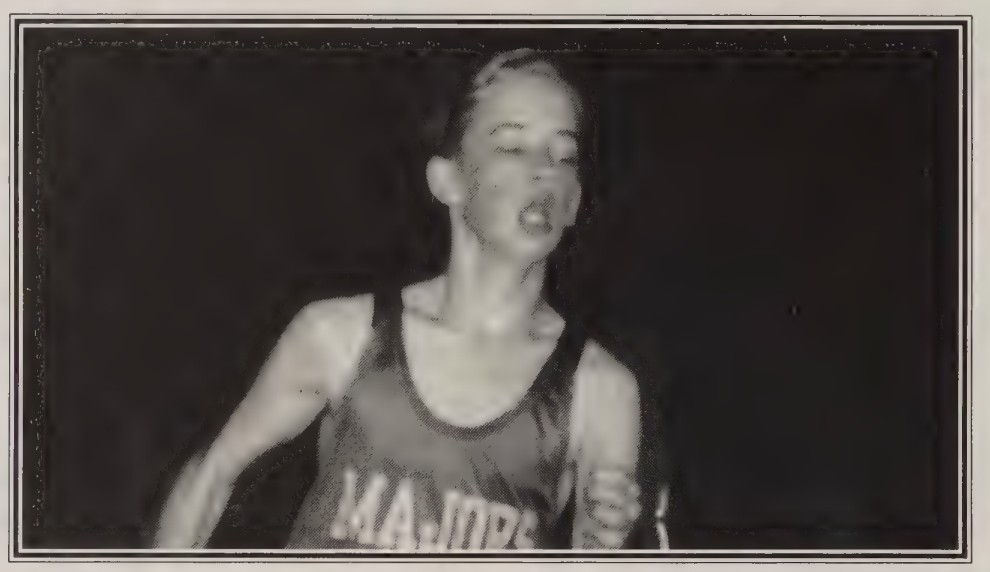
DYNAMIC

"vigorously active or forceful- ***A dynamic team can win!"*** **-Webster College Dictionary**

J.V. Softball

SWIFT

"moving with great speed or velocity- *The swift runners quickly finish the race.*" - Webster College Dictionary



Sprinting around the bend in the indoor track meet during a fast, pace race. It takes an incredible amount of endurance and speed to be a great distance runner.

Erin Lynch must clear the height in three trys before so she can continue competition at a more difficult height.

Multi-functional Felicia Cooksey can do anything- run, jump, throw and hurdle, it doesn't matter to Felicia.

Lee Strange

Spring Track team

Indoor Track team

Scoreboard

Spring Track

Opponent	Boys MV-Opp.	Girls MV-Opp.
Yorktown	**56**-49	**89**-56
Edison	40-51	**82**-51
W. Potomac	30-104	47-97.5
Wakefield	40-47	34-56
Stuart	40-86	34-43
Wash-Lee	**56**-55	**89**-8
	3-7	**7-3**

Indoor Track

Opponent	Boys MV-Opp.	Girls MV-Opp.
Edison	**34**-7	**74**-10
W. Potomac	34-120	74-111
Wash-Lee	**32**-28	**74**-16
Stuart	32-45	**88.5**-5
	6-3	**8-1**

Senior Audrey Williams has run both indoor and outdoor track for the past four year. What dedication!!

Tobi Denick, a senior, was named All District in'95 and was the teams leading scorer.

Scoreboard

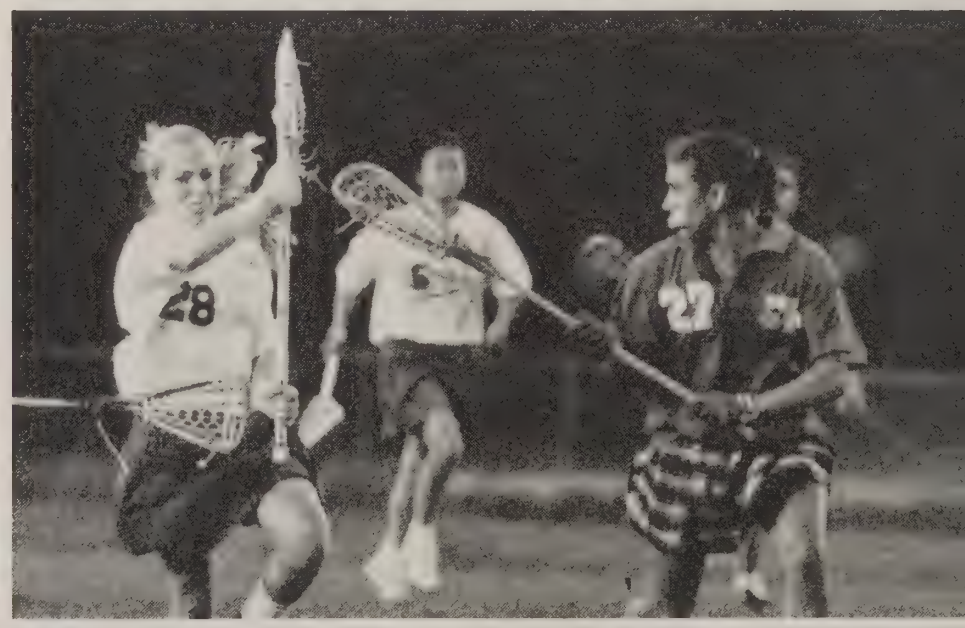
Opponent	MV-Opp.
Hayfield	3-8
Jefferson	3-8
Lee	4-14
Annandale	4-11
Fairfax	6-10
W. Potomac	5-13
Edison	10-11
W. Potomac	10-11
Annandale	5-13
Langley	1-15
District Tournament	
Edison	**7**-6
W. Potomac	**12**-11

1st row- Manijeh Atash-Sobh, Alix Clymer, Chris Brophy,Nancy Stevens, and Cathy Marlatt.**2nd row -** Bianca Lingle, Laura Harbour, Lisa Blankenship, Tammy Duricka, Sarah Boykin and Hyun Joo Park. **3rd row-** Aimee Convery, Abby Mockovak, Tobi Denick, Liza Washington and Brenda Kennealy. **4th row-** Janelle Jones and Coach Douglas.

"We have more experience and our people have been training all year, so this should be a really good season."

AbbyMockovak, 12

Lee Strange



Junior Alix Clymer splits two defender on her way down the field for a tough goal.

Senior Abby Mockovak, one of the teams better defensive players , forces her opponent to lose control of the ball.

EXPLOSIVE

" having the nature of an explosion"- ***The team scored with an explosive force.*** **-Webster College Dictionary**

Catching, cradling and shooting the ball is what the Girls Lacrosse team does best. Their season got better and more exciting each game they play because they consistently got better. All of their hard work and dedication to the sport finally paid off in the end.

The Lady Majors won the 1995 National District Tournament by beating Edison in the first round 7-6 in overtime and West Potomac in the finals 12-11. The victories hyped the Mount Vernon Girls Lacrosse team up for another exciting season.

Several of the Majors had successful seasons and helped the team in the games. Senior Tobi Denick was the team's leading scorer and was named first team All District for 1995, she will be returning next season to help continue the team's winning streak. Graduates Aimee Convery and Cathy Marlatt were also voted first team All District for their ball maneuvering skills and Honorable mention All District players were Seniors Abby Mockovak and Liza Washington. Junior Suzanne Watts was also a very strong player on defense and will be another great returning player

The 1996 team returns several key players and many good JV players will have the chance to move up to the varsity level. This year Coach Douglas has hopes to continue to improve and make another strong showing in the National District and defend their tournament title.

- Ainslie Pearsall, 12

Senior Cathy Kiefer takes the field with the support of her teammates and the thousands of fans.

ENDURING

"the power of bearing pain and hardship-

To endure the challenge of the opponents"

-Webster Colege Dictionary

The Boys Junior Varsity Lacrosse team completed a very successful season in '95 and hope to continue their fine playing this season. They had a 1-1 record with a last minute win over West Potomac for the National District Title. These boys play the best under pressure. Not only did they have the home crowd cheering for them, but they were extremely excited to win.

The players that were in the midst of the team's efforts were elected Co-Most Valuable Players, Junior Clark Fisher and Cliff Johnson. The top scorer on the team was Dan Convery. The ground ball leader was Andy Higgins; and Jorge Ponce, was awarded the Most Improved for the season. As a team they all were presented with the Northern Region Sportsmanship Award for there outstanding performance.

The head coach William Russ, assistant Dale Nalls, Domonic Choi, and Chance Bergo plan to have another successful season looking forward to their returning players including Scott Riffle on defense, and Chris Wolff and Pat Stevens in midfield.

- Ainslie Pearsall, 12

All photos taken by Segall- Magestic

Scoreboard

Opponent	MV-Opp.
Hayfield	7-8
Jefferson	6-7
Lee	4-2
Fairfax	4-3
W. Potomac	2-1
W. Potomac	2-3
Langley	0-7

1st Row- N. Ahmed, D. Convery. **2nd Row-** Mgr. M. Preston, P. Nagra, C. Morrisley, S. Penata, Mgr. J. Hingle. **3rd Row-** T. Do, C. Fisher, R. Thomas, T. Downey, J. Ponce, D. Baber. **4th Row-** S. Riffle, P.J. Lazo, P. Stevens, C. Baig, D. Donchez. **5th Row-** P. Pizarro, C. Johnson, C. Wolf, J. Hart, B. Davis, A. Higgins. **6th Row-** Coach Russ, C. Kennedy, E. Cuica.

Sophomore Tristan Downey thinks of how to get the ball away from the other player. Probably beating him with his stick comes to mind.

Cliff Johnson is trying to break away from a bothersome opponent so he can pass the ball.

Candace Lee is able to steel the ball away from her opponent and runs down the field toward the Major's goal.

Junior Leticia Manning is ready for the ball to come her way so she can prove to people that she is a great competitor in lacrosse.

Scoreboard

Not Available

1st Row- Anna Golwitzer, Heather Kempthorne, Roxanne Mason, Christie Carlson, Aneeka Chaudry. **2nd Row-** Leticia Manning, Jennifer Purdy, Kristen Redfern, Candice Lee, LaShonda Maxfield, Autumn Girouard. **3rd Row-** Jessica Hoots, Sarah Barnes, Zelma Marshall, Jane Shin, Chancey Deloera. **4th Row-** Phuong Ly, Shannon Reiley, Kelly Cataldo, Melissa Barlow.

NEOPHYTIC

"a beginner- ***The neophytes learned the ropes very fast."*** **-Webster College Dictionary**

Last season was the first year that the girls at Mount Vernon had a JV Lacrosse team. This is due to the growing popularity of lacrosse amongst the MV students. In fact, hundreds and thousands of girls came out for tryouts. They all wanted a slot on either the JV or Varsity team. For many of these players, it was their first time picking up a lacrosse stick. Not only did they have to learn how to handle these weapons of death, but they had to learn the rules as well. "It was difficult to cradle the ball at first, but after a little practice I was tearing up the field," said Senior LaShonda Maxfield.

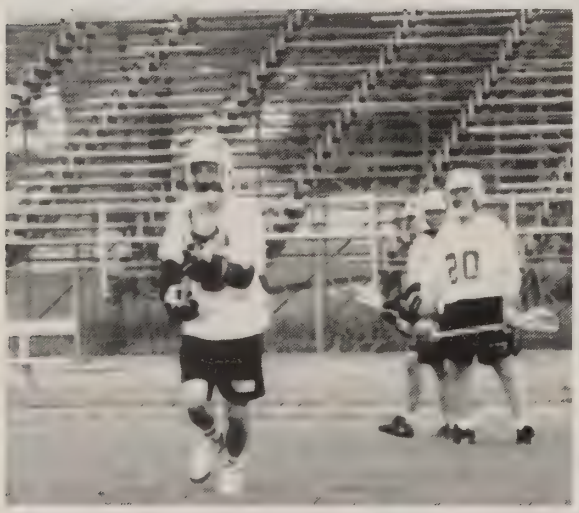
The JV team held about 20 players in all. The players that excelled the most throughout the season were Ticia Manning, Candace Lee, Jen Purdy on the defense side of the field. On the offense (or the attack) side, the outstanding players were Kelly Cataldo, Shannon Reiley, Aneeka Chaudrey, Chancey Deloera, and Heather Kempthorne.

The coaching staff are hoping good things will come out of a strong JV team. "After losing eight seniors on the Varsity team, I'm looking for strong performances from successful JV players." said Head Coach Liz Douglass.

- Ainslie Pearsall, 12

Graduate Neal Beggan, #17, must figure out quickly which teammate of his he should pass to before he is attacked.

Senior Ryan Downey, #21, warms up before the game by running around the field and stretching.



Senior Matt Adamson practices before a game catching and maneuvering the ball with the stick.

JOSTLE

"to bump against, push of elbow roughly and rudely - *the rivals jostle each other for advantage.*" - Webster College Dictionary

Last year was the first year the Boys Varsity Lacrosse team had a winning season and advanced to the quarter finals in the Northern Region Tournament. This year they would like to conquer more teams and rank better in the Region.

The Varsity team consisted of eighteen players and all of the players contributed greatly to the successful season. Mark Bartlett a starting midfielder provided outstanding senior leadership with steady play on offense and defense. A much improved defense lead by Senior goalie Sean Petitt, Senior defenseman Mike Makara and Adam Hatchl, and Junior Defenseman Ryan Downey allowed Mount Vernon to beat some very tough teams. Senior Attackmen Steve Truong and Neal Beggan, and Junior Oliver Sharpe were the big guns on the offensive end of the field. They were able to win the regular season National District title and became district Tournament Champions as well. The team was also awarded the sportsmanship award. This award is presented by the Northern Virginia Lacrosse Officials Association to the team that exhibits the best sportsmanship among all twenty-three Fairfax Boys Lacrosse teams during the entire season.

Mount Vernon Boys Lacrosse team were represented well in the 1st All District, 2nd All District team and Honorable mention nominees. Included in the 1st team All District was Mark Bartlett; midfielder, Christian Finnigan; midfielder, Noa Hammer; midfielder, and Sean Petitt; goalie. Oliver Sharpe and Steve Truong; on the attack were also on the district team and were the high scorers of the season making more than thirty goals. Nearly 90 ground balls were picked up by Noa Hammer and 50 to 60 balls were retrieved from the ground by Steve Truong and Mark Bartlett.

There will be many great returning player's for the '96 season, including Matt Adamson, James Card, Ryan Downey, Christian Finnigan, John Reed and Oliver Sharpe. "Coaching at Mount Vernon is great and the administration, athletic office, teachers, parents, and students are wonderful. The senior leadership, dedicated coaches, and outstanding work ethic of the players was a big part of the team's successful season. The future for Mount Vernon Boys Lacrosse looks bright because the program has some very young and talented players," said Head Coach Walker. The sport itself has become much more popular and needs all the support it can get to make the team the best.

- Ainslie Pearsall, 12
& Lax Coach Walker

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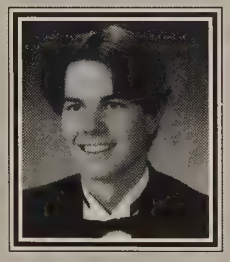

"Mt. Vernon Mens Lacrosse is no doubt the best program at our school. Under our new coaching staff we've won the district regular season and the tournament."

- Oliver Sharpe, 12

Scoreboard

Opponent	MV-Opp.
Edison	13-2
W. Potomac	8-2
Edison	10-1
W. Potomac	9-8
District Tournament	
W. Potomac	8-6
Regional Tournament	
Fairfax	12-8
Langley	4-13

4-0

1st Row- Mieko Preston, Dan Bayles, Steve Truong, Rick Hoben, Ryan Downey, Sean Petitt, Jessica Hingle. **2nd Row-** Greg Wong, Christian Finnigan, Mark Bartlett, Mercer Parker, Mike Jones, Trevor Atkins. **3rd Row-** Jon Reed, Mike Makara, Oliver Sharpe, Jimmy Card, Noa Hammer. **4th Row-** Neal Beggan, Shawn Dubravac, Adam Hatchel, Matt Adamson.
Coaches- Paul Bright, Bruce Walker.

The Varsity Cheerleaders display their District Champion patches that they won by performing a wonderful routine.

Senior Felicia Sellers watches the football game intently, hoping the Majors will make a touchdown.

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Andrea Bilboa shows the crowd that the Majors are #1!

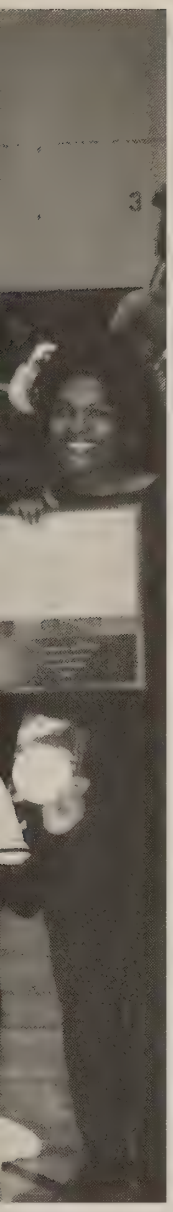
Captain Felicia Sellers

Captain Seema Sethi

Coach Rita Farrar

Competition Captain Melanie Smith

Competition Captain Kristy Torres



SPIRIT

"an attitude or principle that pervades thought, stirs one to action: *the spirit of the game.*"

-Webster College Dictionary

Cheerleaders have dedicated their time and energy to stirring up the crowd at Mt. Vernon. They have pride in each of our sports teams no matter what happens, and in return the school is grateful to have a winning cheerleading squad supporting us.

The spirit of our school depends greatly upon our cheerleaders. This year the Varsity Cheerleading squad consisted of fifteen girls, many of them were Seniors and no stranger to cheering. There was also four captains; Senior Captains Felicia Sellers and Seema Sethi, and Competition Captains, Senior Melanie Smith and Junior Kristy Torres. Together they have done a wonderful job of keeping our school spirit as high as possible at games and throughout the school day.

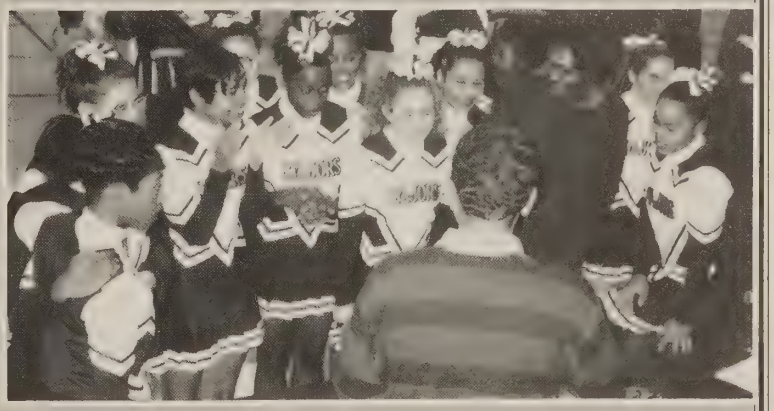
Being a cheerleader involves a lot of long hours after school perfecting dangerous looking stunts and jumps, creative cheers and intricate formations. It requires a great deal of dedication and commitment not to mention talent to become a cheerleader.

The cheerleaders main goal this year was mainly to defend their National District title. Which they did with great success. They also went onto the Regional Competition to take fifth place. We owe a big hand to the cheerleaders this year for doing a wonderful job and keeping MV's spirits high!

- Melanie Smith, 12
Ainslie Pearsall, 12

National District...

The Major Cheerleaders eagerly await the presentation of their '95 District award.



To pump up the crowd, the varsity cheerleaders preform a new cheer.

CHAMPS!

CHEERFUL

"Filling with cheer; bright and attractive: *a cheerful person.*"

- Webster College Dictionary

The Mount Vernon Junior Varsity and the Freshmen Cheerleading squad had a memorable year. Starting off the season with the squad cheering at J.V. and frosh football games, then to the basketball games. They preformed many difficult formations and pyramids in their routines showing their team spirit on the court during half time and on the sideline. Each squad was willing to show off their incredible talent, even show up many of the teams playing. Yes, they were definitely the highlight of many of the games as they jumped, danced and cheered all in perfect unison. They all hope that next year they will be able to perform with the Varsity Cheerleading squad. There will be many spots open for any hard working girls on the J.V. or Freshmen cheerleading squad to move up.

- Ainslie Pearsall, 12

J.V. Cheerleaders- Sitting: Karina Chicas, Anankah Hohney. **Kneeling:** Amber Minnick, Jodi Howard, Qiana Randall, Teneisha Spady. **Standing:** Kena Mayberry, Tiffany Smith, Priscilla Cole, Evelyn Daza, Tara Simmons.

Frosh Cheerleaders- Front Row: Ciara Moore, Danielle Cooper, Fatmata Kamara, Carla Bran, Shanna Scott, Devon Finney. **Back Row:** Ebony Jarrett, Medhanite Tekle, Tao Greaves, Heven Teklenariam.

Freshmen Cheerleader Shanna Scott yells "GO M.V.!" as she does her routine for the boys Freshmen Basketball team.

The J.V. Cheerleading squad show off their complicated pyramid with confident smiles as they support each other.

J.V. Field Hockey Captains Leslie Hass and Jennifer Purdy protect their team's goal along with goalie Charlotte Reed.

The great triple alignment! Not many balls were able to get passed this great defense.

All photos taken by Segall-Majestic

Scoreboard

Opponent	MV-Opp.
Edison	0-0
West Potomac	1-3
Stuart	**3**-1
Yorktown	0-1
Wash-Lee	**1**-0
Edison	**1**-0
Wakefield	**3**-0
West Potomac	0-1
Stuart	**2**-0
Yorktown	1-1
Wash-Lee	**2**-0

Sitting- Captains Leslie Hass, Jennifer Purdy, and Kerry Avondet. **Kneeling-** Kathryn Rakes, Kristina Buddenhagen, Cam Allison, Brigit Faddan. **Standing-** Coach Douglas, Sharon O'Connor, Mariah Hart, Nancy Ferguson, Leah Davis, Kathleen Faddan (m). **Back Row-** Heather Calken, Charlotte Reed, Patricia Kelly, Emilie Cagigas, Crystal Reed.

RESILIENT

"Recovering strength, spirits, good humor; quickly: *using amazing resilience.* to win"

- Webster College Dictionary

It was a long and hard season for the Junior Varsity Field Hockey team playing against tough opponents from West Potomac and Yorktown. No matter how hard the competition was they always were able to keep their spirit and their pride.

The team consisted of sixteen Sophomore and Freshmen players. For most of them this was their first year on the team and it showed. The majority of the team had never played field hockey before this year they were very unexperienced. This only means that winning was more of a challenge for the J.V. Field Hockey team. They proved to many that they were determined enough to handle such challenging situations and beat teams such as Stuart and Wakefield with smashing victories.

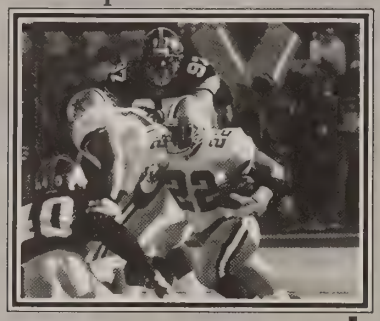
There were three Sophomore team captains, Leslie Hass, Jennifer Purdy and Kerry Avondet. They mostly kept the team alive not only in the team's strength and experience on the field but also off the field as well. The team participated in many pre-game dinners and post game celebrations.

They went through many hardships and challenges throughout the season. But because of their resilience they were able to make it through with great enthusiasm and determination.

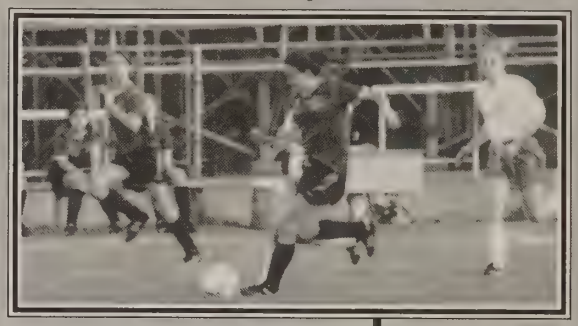
- Ainslie Pearsall, 12

Among the GREATS!!!

Super Bowl XXX



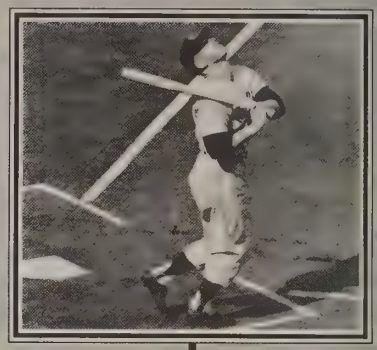
Jennifer Rieley- Soccer



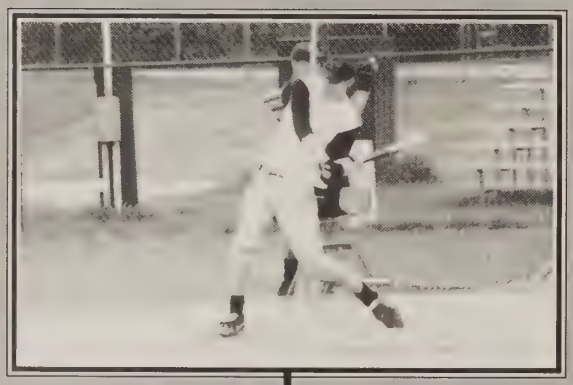
Crystal Hamlin- Track

Sean Floyd- Basketball

Mickey Mantel- Baseball



Patrick Langley- Baseball



Kwabena Konadu- Soccer

Ainslie Pearsall-
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Tobi Denick- Lacrosse

Nicole Brown- Basketball

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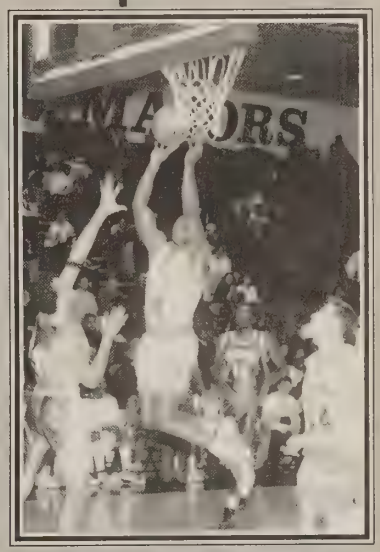
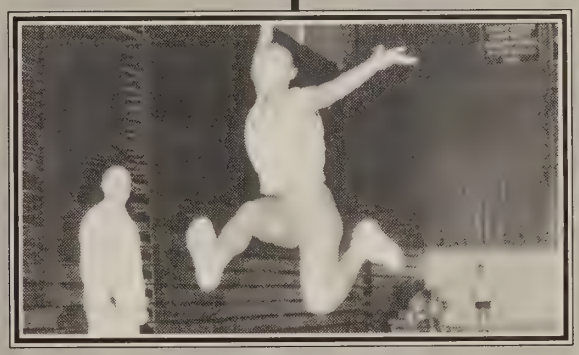
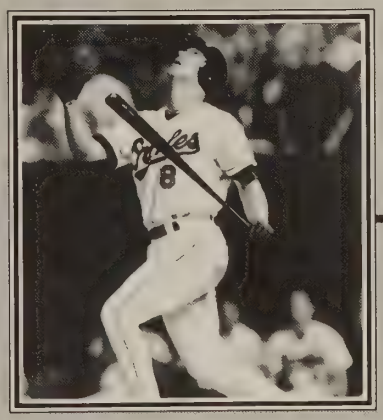


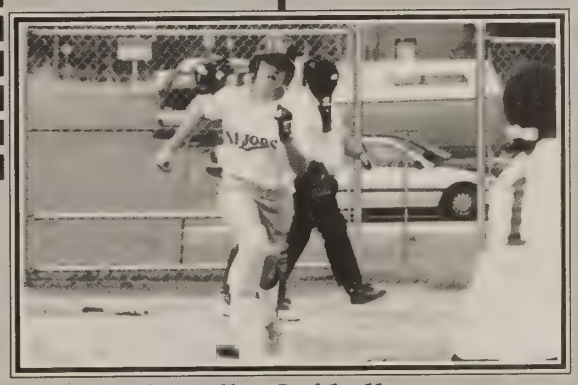
Leonard Singletary-
Basketball



Felicia Cooksey- Track



Cal Ripken- Baseball



Katie Kelly- Softball

A Ticket to Tomorrow

Sophomores Heather Markman, Laura Leach and their friend Amy Noble munch down the hamburgers and hot dogs during fifties night at their lodge in upstate New York.

Tomorrows

We all have tomorrows, dreams for the future. Some of us want to go to college, some want to make money, some people wish to find that special someone and have a family. Only, these are our tomorrows, our futures. These we have to wait for. Tomorrows do not come fast, we must be patient.

Now is the time to enjoy, for today is here, and we have to live it. Not only do the people of the world have the responsibility to enjoy what is here and wait for what is to come, but we must make tomorrow better than today.

We must not forget the yesterdays for they will show us what to do today and what to expect tomorrow. Live life to its fullest and wonder only of the existing and good, think not of evil things.

Have fun, enjoy life, and learn. Life is a party and we were put here to harvest the feast of knowledge and bananas. Tropics were strategically placed along the equator around the world for our enjoyment and we must exploit these gifts. Because "life is like a box of chocolates, you never know what you're gonna get."

Seniors Jennifer Reed, Scott Siegel, and Freshman Meagan Ablott engage in a little high school horseplay during lunch. This group represents the countless number of carefree youths at Mount Vernon.

Senior William Neal and friend take a light hike in the Adirondack Mountains on a Young Life trip. Many students could find tranquility and love in such a natural surrounding. However the real world according to Will is "cruel" and "sadistic".

Way to go,
Matt E. Adamson
Congratulations

Love,
Mom, Dad,
Andrew Class of '94
John Class of '89
Adamson

Psalm 91 : 11

Congratulations Britt!

The world is waiting...

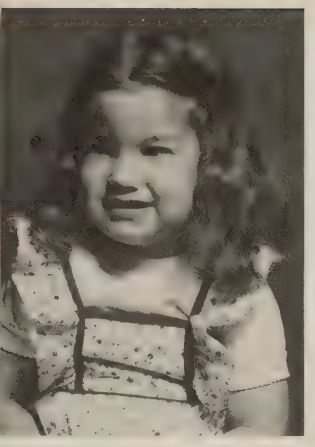
You can accomplish anything you set your mind to.

Love,
Mom, Dad, Bryce,
Nana and Baba

Christy,
Live always and only for the approval of Jesus Christ. He will never leave you or forsake you. We are so proud of your Godly beauty and many accomplishments.

Love,
Mom & Dad, Becky, Nathan, Aaron, Jonathan, Abigail, and Anna
I Peter 2:24

To the tennis team captain from his first coach,
Love your Dad

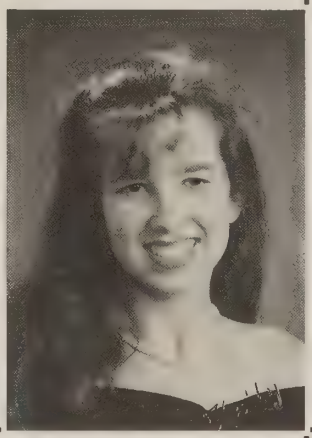


Kelly, no matter where you go, what you do or how old you become, you will always be our little girl.

Congratulations,
Jill and Adam

You have always been cousins,
May you always be friends.

Congratulations!! We love you and we re very proud of you.
Love,
Mommy & Daddy



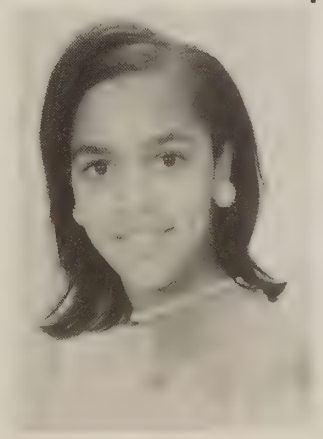
Love,
John
and
Caroline

Congratulations,

Live long and prosper.
Ancient Vulcan
Proverb

We are very proud of you. We have faith that you will be sucessful in the years ahead.

Love Mom, Dad, Rocky, and the Family



Love, Dad, Mom, Kelly, and Megan

Nicole, you were always such a beautiful, bright and smart little girl.....but

Look at you NOW!!!!
I'm so very, very proud of you.
I Love You.
Mom

We are so proud of you, Christie.

Congratulations Moodle!

Love Mom, Dad, Brian, and Gina

Mary,

Congratulations!

Love Mom. Dad and Tea

Look to this day! Yester day is but a dream and tomorrow is only a vision But today well-lived makes every yesterday a dream of Happiness, and every tomorrow a vision of hope

We love you Kelly Mason. Reach for the stars. Mom and Dad

Congratulations Wendy, Keep up the good work, your dedication will bring you all the success you well deserve.

We are very proud of you.

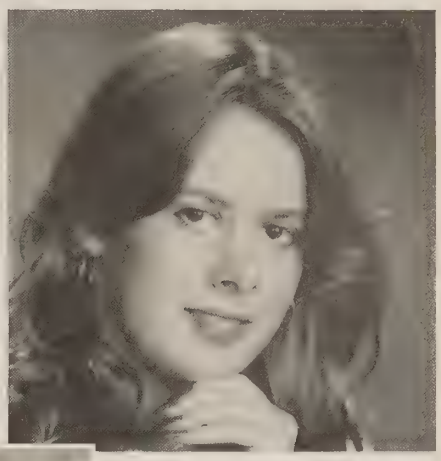
We love you and God bless you always!

Mom, Jackie, and John

Congratulations Lisa

I am so proud of you.

Love Mom, Dreux, Jimm, Tim, Linda, David, and Danielle



Congratulations Chancey!

You make the world a brighter place.

We love you, Dad, Mom, Scott, Megan, Aaron, and Angela.

The one and only Ryan Phillips Downey

...To give so much time to the improvement of yourself that you have no time to criticize others, to be too large for worry, too noble for anger, too strong for fear, and too happy to permit the presence of others.

The Optimist Creed

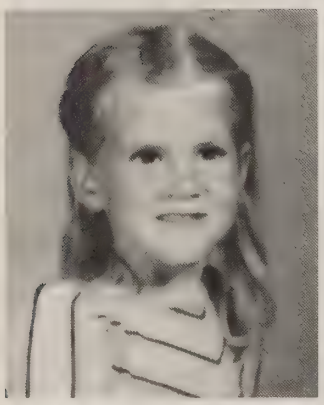
All our love Mom, Dad, Tris, and Kyle

You have brought alot of love and joy to our lives. We are very proud of you.

Love,
Mom, Dad,
Jerry, Gavin, &
Pap
P.S.-Nana,
Grandma &
Poppa Doc
would be very
proud of you!

Heidi,
Life hasn't always been easy for you, But you've always been loved very much. You've become a beautiful young woman. I am very proud of you. Listen to the small, still voice inside when you make your choices.

Trust in the Lord with all thine heart, and lean not unto thine own understanding, In all thy way acknowledge Him and He shall direct thy paths.
We love you.
All your family

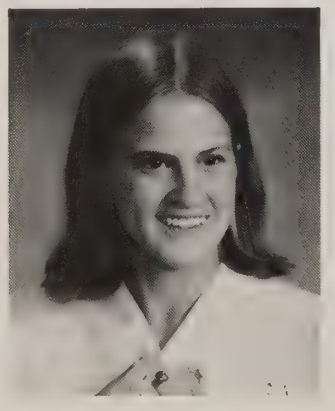


"You may say I'm a dreamer,
But I'm not the only one."
J.L.

Dear Wendy,
Bravo! You made it!
We always knew you were a winner...
You just proved it.
Congratulations!

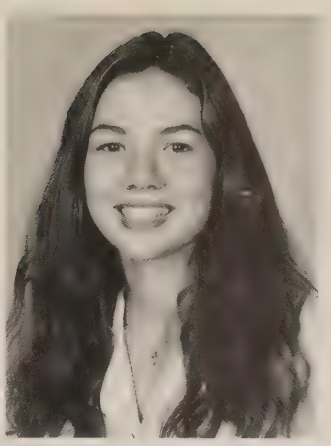
Anyone, if fully committed, can do anything

Congratulations to our favorite daughter and sister.
With love,
Mom, Dad, & Todd



We could talk about all the qualities you possess ...But we would rather emphasize on the best you have, and that is; everybody who knows you loves you! We are so proud of you!
Mom, Leo, Aby, Gaby, Pepe, Beto, Edgar, Edgarini, and Ivan

Krazy
Atheletic
Tepper, that's COACH to you!
In "focus"
Enjoyable



Daniel,
You've
Grown
Into A
Fine
Young
Man.

Kinetic
Energetic
Laughter
Life!!!

You are a blessing to us!!

Dad, Mom, Meg, Patricia, and James
plus Nani, Brewster..Ora and Bill! Psalms 127:3

We Love You Mom and Dad

Congratulations

Katy Dear,
The space
between your
teeth grew
together
so nicely,
Now your
perfect!

Love
Mom & Dad

For Jay
Byrd the
basket-
ball
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Guess Who!

We all
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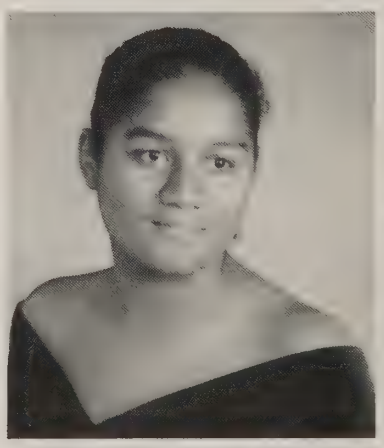

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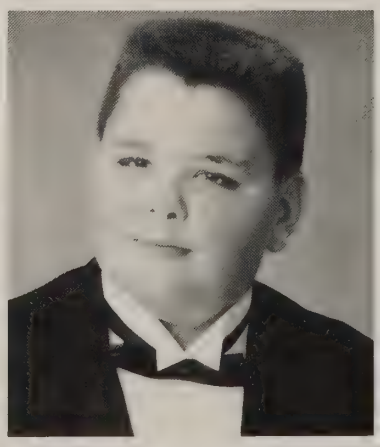

Benny Delozier

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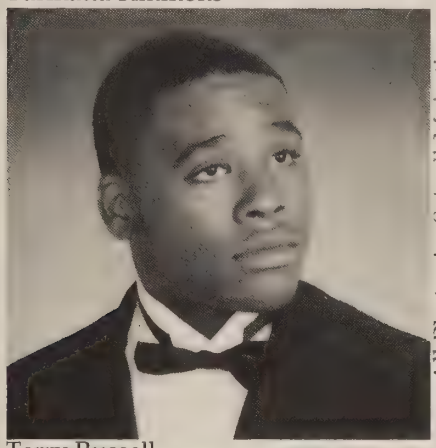
Congratulations Seniors and Good Luck!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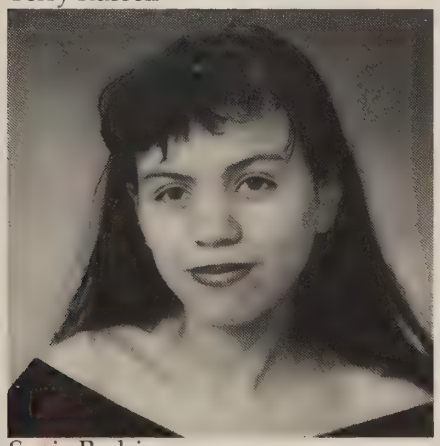
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Belen Aranzana

The staff of the 1996 Surveyor was packed with many bright and talented young writers. The student life section was edited by Kristen Markman with a staff consisting of Brett "Pixel" Weisbeck, Alia Collins, Laura Leach, LaShonda Maxfield, and Holly Urquhart. The people section was edited by Jessica Dyer and she was aided by Kim Kasprov and Jackie Ehmer. The Sports section was edited by Ainslie Pearsall and her staff included Melanie Smith (Varsity Cheerleading) and Chris Wolff (Cross Country). Sales were preformed by Felicia Cooksey and Jeanette Cline. The Editor-In-Chief of the 1996 Surveyor was William Neal and his aid was Chelsea Givens.

Many lessons were learned and many horizons explored by this eager staff. Ainslie, William, and Mr. Stone started the yearbook at Lynchburg College while attending a yearbook seminar in order to expand their knowledge of making a yearbook that appeals to the students. We hope everyone appreciates our efforts. **ENJOY!**

Wendy Amaya
I just want 2 gv a shotout 2 my bds. D.R. what up dog? W.H.S.L.O.L.T.T. Yrs. Is tht yr bro? U nd a cig. YELLOW! Party! I cn dr. Yr bros a gd dncr. U nd ptce. Chl. B-otch! Grt dy. L.y, M.S — sstr! srry bout m. W ddls. My etg bby. N.Y. gtsta d agn. SPY! whr wr U? L.y, A.B HHLO! Thks 4 bng rl. Lts D N.Y, S.S. mr. savnh!, M.A — Lts nt lock our kys in or car huh!, N.H — nvr 4get U. u stll m bd., All my cousins J.P. H.V, & J.V, Tke care & I wuv u all. Good Luck! I'll mis evry 1.

Angel Baltimore
Thank god it's over!! MS never 4get ya. Remember NY, spring break 9th HA HA, the HEAT, wlkn Sac. Gettin #'s. La manzana, cabeza grande KD. Sylvia's. MB I'll never 4get you either. Love you always. Shouts out to the MV bball squad #1!! Nicole you can stop worrying now!! Just relax. RF you'll get the ball. Sorry to all those I've hurt. Josh you need some skills. Never the food. Don't worry MS we'll find our plaid men and prom dates. College awaits us. Peace out!!

Laura Michelle Bordeaux
"OOHHH — What do you do with a drunken sailor?" — Jeff King Park parties '93 — I think I found Waldo! Dk Regionals '93 — E.M. no — EY! Strp pkr w/JR, BB, ED, CJ, RB. Spnsh nght?! Canaan fights with AGP evry yr. HP — Evry1 — wknd @ my house. Summer '94 — Harry Cartilini. 12 pm dip @ DW's — KTJ, TM, PP, etc. AME — Thanx 4 being there. Sorry 4 alpha, u 2 OS. Sullivan's. Frosh yr — wrstlg @ APs w/KH, OS, GW, KTJ. Phn call w/ Reileys — I love you JR! Jenny — cause u r my girl! Mr. Es. Pckg up marines @ X-on w/JR. Lay off — I'm starvng! KH — keep wtchng. Bkni boy, jams, BAGELS w/LB. Lay off the elliroids — I can crush your head between my thighs! CUBU R U a stunt car drvr? Jon — yes, yes, YEAH! SHUT UP! Hmcmg B's — JR, DW, LB. CN — Thanx 4 prom, love ya. JS — soph. hmcmg. Love you, the fam, & Peter Pan 4ever! 9 yrs, girlfriend! I'll always be w/U when we're not together. MJF! JS, JR, APLB, AGP, OS KH, CN, DW, HJP, SS, DV, JL, JM, CK, MD, HP, PL2, KK, GW, KTJ. advice: Be the qrtr. To my fam: I love u all so much — and you know this — Man! Bird

Tiffany Burke:
Gizmo, Tiff UVA: W/JW, AC, CJ, JD, JP, HK, DL; skiing w/the girls & TS, SB, MA, DV; cranberries concert; HIGH'S W/C/O '97; CAMPING W/MD, TF, TS, JW, KB, NM, JR, JD, CB, RM & EVERYTHING AFTER.
JW — guytalks, creepin', ALL-NIGHTERS, EVERYTHING! AC — baseball game, hook-ups (RC), WB, HSH A'S house CJ — guacamole, SIV, JMU, "gaff" JD — road trips, waiting up, night out in Canada MB — MUPPET! I'LL MISS U! JP — SMILE UNTIL YOUR FACE HURTS! KH & SW — It's your turn to dance! JM — I'm proud of you! RR — Mall trips! Erin Watts — Sleding, fun times! Malisa S. — geometry, HP — early mornings/late nights, "You've Got A Friend" HELLO's to: LC, EM PROM 95, AW (pool crew), TW, TN, QS, PL, CSDS, & EC MEMORIES TO FORGET: Lee girls (BIG ROCK), Senior skip day, Homecoming 95',
17th birthday

Amanda M. Cagigas:
Dopey Dope Anyone want to play pool? Hooptie UVA: JD, TB, JW, CJ, KH, JP (late night) Canada: JD, TB, JW & the guys; EWWW! Cranbarries sum. 95: TB, JW, CJ, HP Fashion trips; Swim team (shaving) JD: wanna pack it again?; GRUB; Fast driving on bw; coffee at Denny's
TB: never sleeping; BB Gang; hook-ups jelousy?; Wb; HSH — A's house
JW: Look at the signs; Hist. project strokers; Mayfeast/Prom (OJ)
CJ: trip for pager; 180 in Hooptie; H's porch; switching guys; the
KO: Late night movies; inhail it!
HP: my great B-Day; part of the fam cutting my hair; use your advice!
EW: Bio Class; search for guys (DV)
Q: I'm on a suga' high. PL: M&M
AW: CCD, Skipping movies, sleeping
JL: W.P. Party? MS: the twins; pool!
JM & BH: Prom 95 (sorry about all the trouble — VL)
HU: College; Physco girl
EC: LOVE YA!; Be good; sloppy second
RF: Friendship to more, Thanks!
BF: Thanks for sticking up for me!
SA: YOU hate me now?
LH: JMU; soda can
MH & NF: beach; good talks (advice)
Hi: CS, DS, JW, TW, MS, TW, RR, AM, AD, MD BYE MV and good luck class of 97!

James Card
c, C Knife, Dude Marching Band 1-3 Lax 1-4
Memories to Remember: 540 n all my other boys All the ladies 2 Bch Wk 95, all kinds of hemmed w/TF TS QN RR RC BB/MV Lax n Box w/CB JR OS MA CJ RT/NAT DIST CHMPS/OT @ WePo/ Lax cmp w/JR/SKI Canada w/TS JD DV SB MA/Mycrib w/Ann, Bobby, everyone/Trips to OC/Sk8in w/TF TS NM/Port Pleasure, Da Buds, friends from, they r beast 203, Galveston, Quikmart Highs Fla w/JA, Disney/ Texas w/my cuz/ Many parties, Riverwood, Mansion House, MVYC, MV on the P ECONO LODGE, MAs House,????? Gettin off the island/The Shed/Abandoned houses/Bongo w/RT/ Nintendo/Taco Bell/All of 540 — TF TS QN RT RR BB CB NM BB CJ JR JD JE SB Keep it real ya'll/And da ladies, we had fun whether frnds or more thanks for all da good times — KO KK JK HK JP MA CA MD KB AC SW/to da class of 96, we made it best of luck to all ya'll, its been fun So many memories but so little space and plus I can barely remember them anyway TF and TS my main boys and all the other bros. 5000 Memories to Forget: All the ladies who dissed me/The GIMP SQUAD/Getting arrested 2X/All Freshmen Yr. Report Cards/Braces/World Studies/Algebra II/Hoanna, Triquel/Bodines/All the $$$ I spent on food, could of bought a car. C-Ya MV. Peace

Lisa Ann Colley
Memories 2 remember: The CLIQUE AH, GM, BF, JM, EM, JC, JK, MP, DC Those were the daze. BW — anybody want a candy bar. CLUNK!! TB — Stay sweet To my best friend and boyfriend MAH I LOVE YOU!! GM — 2 many memories to say, but will never forget. JM — 360 — BUTT PO MONKEY INN w/AH, EM, JM Thanx for everything MOM & Family David and Danielle yes I am the Master Linda — the phone is all yours Things 2 forget: Fights with AH, Getting caught New year's with GM, AD, DL. Mount Vernon Free at

last, I'm outta here

Chancey Christner Deloera
"BIG BUTT" "CHIQUITA" "HIPS"
GUARD 1234 BAND 123 LAX 34
FRIENDS & MEMORIES:
CHRIS, LIZA, ABBY, ANDREA, — BYE LV YA I'LL MISS MY TOPICS MEN, SAURIN, KEVIN DAVID, DAVID, JUSTIN, BRYAN, SAM & MIKE LATIN CLUB, AMY, BETH, TOBI, CATHY, BEN MAKING FUN OF CARRIE! JOSH REXRODE! TE QUIERO SENORITA ADIOS Y GRACIAS! BASKIN ROBBINS!! PROM '95 W/DAMON!! MY BST FRIENDS HOLLY & CATHY. MY JOE. PROM '94 W/ANDREA & HOLLY. TH' POTTERS FREE GAS! ROLL CALL! 1ST OF THE MONTH!
MEMORABLE CHANCEY THINGS:
UH UH UH? WHATEVER! MY MAKE-UP! TIGHT JEANS, SHORT SKIRTS, CROP TOPS HIGH HEELS, TWO BRAIDS, 4EVR A SMILE WEAPONS! PHLARIDA! MYRTL BEACH! INDY BAND CAMP, BUSSES, HOTELS & TRIPS!!! GIRLS NIGHT OUT! RIO GRANDE & CHICHI'S!
FORGETABLE STUFF:
CAR ACCIDENTS. HEALY HOOKUPS!!!! PROM '95. ALL HOMCOMINGS K.H., S.P., M.P. PEOPLE WHO CALL ME A BAND WALLY!! MOST TALKATIVE. BIG FLIRT IN BAND.
MY PRECIOUS FAMILY:
ANGELA, AARON, AND MEGAN. I LV YALL SCOTT, MY LIL BRO, MY ROOM IS YOURS THANKS FOR EVERYTHING MOM & DAD!!

Tobi Rhae Denick
Tobs, Todd's lil sis, Tobias "I'm sorry" "I don't know" 9 — KB, MP, JF. EM — Stop signs are not optional, When are we getting married? JL, MD, JM — Fab 4 Darq! x 3, etc. Sly, Ween, prom 10 — CN, MM, DM. Hunter, Lat conv — MD & Boots, me & MM. CK's video, AP & GC's. PP & M. MD, JL, JM, CK, KJ, AP Saranac — WHFSTivals 93, 94, 95 11 — AB, BT, NH. HC w/KJ, Alphaw/DF DT & CC — NHFC, Kelsy, SB @ BC's, Lax w/AM & LW — grits, DK, 6vsWP, Coach — thanks for everything, SB in Ca TY w/JL, VF, GD, Live, HG — So Long Ago . . ., Lax camp — Thanks guys! 12 — NH, DM. HC w/BT, BB, BD. CU w/ Dad, HFS mas w/DM, DMB w/ BB, NY @ BV
WYG — Spiffs 1-5, Hi Bob, BBIB
BB — 1 on 1, coaching, "Been there, done that!"
NH — 10 great months, thanks you're terrific!
JL — 5 yrs & counting, MVI, YG, YL, HH & HG. Thanks for everything!
BP — You're the best friend I could ask for — I love you!
Todd — My big brother, you're the greatest — I love you!

Khoi Do
Dictator of the World POWER, MONEY, ABSOLUTE AC FISH ORGANIZATION World Revolution Survival of the fittest GREEN DAY New Order, Hit List, Secret Police
What has 4 eyes, large IQ, and in rage? The answer is AC
MOZART, AH, BM, JS, HCM, FC, MT, ATG, JC, NB, VL, KM, HT, OVB, KONG FU ZI, DESCARTES, LOCKE, PLATO, KD

Jennifer Dodd
My King — VD; PM — BFF; Choke; Guess?; Dp Frz w/BS, JW, CR; BS — Wanna some?; 9/11/93 — SS We knew it was 4ever; JW — What's wrong wid U?; All nights at Highs, MV Manor, Rvrwood UVA w/ACJWTBJPHKCJ — sorta; Canada — w/JWACTB; He didn't call U back?; Eifel Tower?; GM, TM — Chicken's Good GM, CS — Summer '95; KP's Rager '93; To all my college buddies — I luv U; AC — Grub; Talks at lunch; Dennys w/PL; BJ, KP — Bob . . . Billy Bob; Mom and Dad: I love you! Teresa — I leave you "The Little Engine That Could!"

Liz Donegan
Jambo Jonx English accents Baa Foolish mortals & Tap dancing. Green tent @ refuge & Guitar w/MV. Halloween @ Monks w/CC MV & SP. Stupid stuff in front of The Chosen Ones. May the Force be w/u. We are so sorry haikus. Sacrifice to JnL. Movies @ CCs Lunch @ Mr Ingalls room w/CC SP & the hand plant. Eng w/CC. Math w/AC. Art. Field Hockey. ML pen Staying after w/KC. Comp books Poetry reading. Good Journey. Good Luck JB. Dorcas Eunice & Luca I love you guys

Mary Catherine Doran
TD, JM & JL — Ladies in the back, campin out. HC '93 W/AA. talkin to KB, NYE '94 — fallin in love, KB in the snow. GC's — chillin in the closet w/ JM. BW '94 — Budget Beach, sorry JL. HC '94 — fell in the love w/KB & KR. Hangin out at KTJ's & CK's the videotape. Aladdin '94. skippin WT w/JM. Blizzard '94 — thanks BB. Alpha '94 w/ BB. long talks w/Rob. BW '95 — locked out w/KR, nights w/RR. Stlin w/TA & CN. Winter Brk w/540, Econo. LC w/KJ & CK — "I'm so glad you woke me up — " Femmes.

BB — sorry I was always sleepin. East Coast — OZ w/CN, JM & JL & KK — busted. talkin to Khaled, again — it's good to know some people don't change. KR & JM thanks. To all my good friends JM, KR, KJ, TD CK, KK, AP JL, the fellas, 540 — its been fun. Only 2 yrs Kris! Things To Forget — 203 w/CK & PM. Breakin up w/KB — 11/25/ 94 w/KB. 11/4/95 — TA's w/BB & KR. CB at LB's. close calls, gettin burned at CS. accidents, surgery & all the annoying people.

Meghan Feeley
Memories: frdhm, AH, egor, JOSS, HHS, crnbrd, cyclps, 7502NGM, NBM, mno1 'ET, DaMosher, pretty boy, anamncs, migrns, Denny's black hair, toy wrks, chap, Nuke, Willmsbrg wkend, mnly cards,?? the remote, KOOL-AID, cut — foot stars & moons, Big ol Balloon, Mystery, Tiff tangerine, Wil 'ot DECA & AEX, space 128, 5th pd w/a wink, 4th pd naps, smelly room, Mator's, U KEEP TALKING AND I SAY

B U H-------BYE!!!!

Mrs. Brown good luck w/frosh Mrs. Hamlett get some sugar MY LIMP ARM, peetr shcn, stink repubs., Mr. spkr, kerme, Eric, PO, Nita, and Mark good luck. To ma mom & dad & Conor I'll miss ya take care of sunny. TO THE CLASS OF 1996 as Alisia Silverstone said in CLUELESS *WE OUTTY!!!* Meanwhile back on the ranch. LOVE ALWAYS, TOUCHY FEELEY PS: Luv ya Janette & Felicia!!
AHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHH
1 9 9 6!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Nick, Fertal

To rem. wrestling 92/96 — J. Studds/ Thanx coach — CB, AB, TG, JF, BT, BE/ The Team Fav mgr. LC, SB, CB, AC/ Qso + N = ? QS, U The best = MS crew 1 @ 2 Luv U — The boyz EA, BH, QS, MH/girls — AC, JH MS 1 @ 2, ect. Wrestling prac. w/ (ladies/sprints) hated it! CG I Love u w/all my heart . . . hope it never ends. u r my c hubbs. MOM & DAD love u guys. The FRA/ PPC — those involved. "whatever" Going out to lunch — " I want a chance to prov myself" — Wrecks 1 & 2 — Still crazy, dangerous — USCG — BYE — "69"

Sean Floyd
Love, Peace, Hair Grease to my M.V. family. (Mud. lil bunion (fat girl), casper, Peabody, Sug) Triz and O (N.A.W. ru-ru). I'll always remember the times. 4 yrs of b-ball, days w/clan, cat woman summer, sun. w/AW (corny girl, but I love you) All those crucial talks with Mr. DS and EB. Trip to KD and BG with Ruta. (my brother is wild) Scrap-DooDoo — Smack Off I love yall! Hey Doomoo I'm still here. (apple juice always and forever) Hey coaches, wonder if I made it. You know I did man!!!!

"Mr. Burns" "G-Man"
To Remember: Drag fest (Dipe — how's the hand?, Leachman — behind the wheel, Bryan — evil sucked, a grill and shopping cart; 9:30 w/BL (John Spencer Blues Explosion!); Fort Willard with a bat and hugs Hittin the beach w/ BG; Naked on a hill with BL and LH? RISK w/MS, GW, BG, KN, and DF; Being w/CZ; Amino Fuel (chug) "Burning bodies being drug behind a station wagon"; BG — "Remember the time I kicked you in the leg?"; SC and LS — sorry for the bull I put you through; Lynching mannequins (16); DJ payed me ¢15 to mention her; BBS (I'm sure you remember — Pestle Pict & Rune (Telal)); AERA — Taking Metro EVERY day, insane laughter after 6; "Can it fetch a stick?"; Swiss Cake roles; Yearbook; Net running w/JL; MG, BG, BL, DJ, LL, JL, JL2, R2D2, LH, RISK Crew, AT, FN w/WN etc. To forget: "The sparks from the chain will light it."

Grant Graeber

Kelly Mason Hall
Snow week w/CN, KK, TD, LH, OKM spades crw, but now I got a new prtnr; House soccer crw; HC 94 w/KP, OS, SC, NB, JM, KK, JP; plyd by DW; Bchwk 93 — $5 for it!; 540 — mad props — ringldr — BB; KP — 7th times the charm; pukin w/JP; JR — Thanx for 5 days. Git any skivvies?; Fr. w/OS, LB, SC, ML, JP & le meilleur GV; CB — talks and suntans; Deep talks w/AM; Mad SDS at CN: Ms. N is the coolest! KP — Way to bring in New Year!

Get it in the *** trash! KJ — Hope we're always friends; To all my boys: RR, OS, BB, QN, DV, PL, JR, SF, TF, SH, GW, MA, MKP, JC Hope we're always down; Find a girl at UVA — O; ATM w/ KP; Pushin JP car; Breakin chair w/KP; KK — Matchmaker; SS — U wish!; "It's gonna come out!" Cool Girls — JM, MD, KC, KR (irr), KJ; RR, KK & CN — I hope we always crew; CN — Me and you against the world! Kathie — I'm glad you have dreams! Good luck class of 1996!

GOOF TROOP — 1, 95 + 1, 96 Overnighters Parties, Guys, #'s etc FE — Rem me DW U CM. 4'EVA. Short Cuts. See Ya MV SUCKERS 'CAUSE MY STYLES THE BO — MB DIGI . . . Thanks 4 the team 2 run w/though they suck. 'CAUSE I WAS RUNNIN IN 96' We brought Stars in 96' Few in 95' Menz sportsbras, big butts, huggers, Byrd, Mickey, Jes/C Tiny, SS twins, conf Me & U IF I WAS YOUR GIRLFRIEND, CARAMEL SUNDAE' runnin out of room much more to say OH Dear God make me a bird so I could fly far far away from here. **Crystal Sheneice Hamlin** 96' get ready 4 the world.

Jenn', Bubbles, Jeep Girl . . .
If eyes are the windows of the soul, your lips must be the door" Chante Moore
Memories 2 remember: Class of 93, summer of 93 and 95. Cruise the Carribean, drivin cross the states w/bf Dely Las Vegas, falling asleep while driving. DR drive stkk hold on. 95 Jeep! Bike police. Old Twn, Chads, Flirt!!! WN off on, TM sweetie. BF!!! I allowd U 2 B seen w/ME!! Joke! Ha! ha! HA! HA! HA! HA! HA! HA! TM, drive stk, hold on. Snow sleding w/DR, TM, RB. Brake chk. B'days alone. X'mas 95 in CA. RB U touched my HRT JS miss U. AD cutie, AT NEVER MS crazy girl! Beach week 96 better be fun. DR, TM LUV U 2 4EVER! The Queens desprite 4 Luv! TM thanx 4 everything Homecoming 95 — ROTC ball. — Memories 2 FORGET: Litz Chem, New Years eve DH Hopeless relationships! JW, CJ, Fight w/DR. Las Vegas!!! All the Jealous people. Cya

Jennifer Hart

Hey guys we finally made it! Jenny who can we talk about today? More stories during dessert Michelle where is my ransom for your baby? Dely why don't you just stay and take over SES? Anybody up for wed. fries? Thanks JB. CS. BH. DR you guys are the best. A special note to my loving BF Janie. You will always have a place in my heart. Thanks for always being there. I LOVE YOU! Thank you Lord for helping me this far. Stay cool guys, and keep it clean. I'm gone!

Angie Hollis

Carrie Jewett (Berry)
TB — JMU, Jazzercise, avacados, easy listening, powder shoes, Denny's, Mozzerellas, gaffing HP, SIV. "Don't think I won't, report card.
JW — Grubbin, cork's flight, PMS, stable (Kingers), Subway, Old Town — (GNO), our "talks".
AC — the porch, soup pot, grub queen, your basement (pool crew) fashion partner, red jeep.
DL — Homecoming 95', dancing at Denny's, golf, fire, "Don't panic", shopping, Blizzard 96' December 2nd, M & M Lights
HP — It's been fun! (gaffing)

JD — UVA, 90210, Melrose, fashion "Chris Matosa"
JM — Friends forever! Good Luck with GMU.
EW — Old Town, Super Bowl
Hi — LS, TN, TW, EW, JD, JP, HK, EC, DS, CS, DW, RR, and Pool Crew. Thanks to my understanding parents, my best friends (TB, JW, & AC) and my boyfriend DL for always being there for me! Love ya! Goodbye M.V Good Luck Class 97'.

Kathryn M. Johnson
K.T. Jay, other K.T., pouter girl, its the cops, furtater, C.N.'s house, "O" trust, Chun-Lee, FOOD!, & Yes I'm pouting, K.H. mashed potatoes, The alien, topless at DW's, JP, MD, KB, JM, BB, chillin at my house, O the slap, I Luv Budget Beach, Kicked out of young life camp, Can you feel the luv tonight, burnin holes in my hoes & eyebrows, learn to drive stick W/JM, MD, KR, get jumpd from strippr, THE CLAY ROOM, SCRT agent KT, VA beach w/ ST, Ha Ha we won float x 2, MD I Luv your mom, trip to Lngwd & Roanok w/ CK, MD, CK don't use that toothbrush, Are you kidding me, MD wake up, Homcoming 95, Sking w/ST, CK, SD, The most expensive nap, Pat you will loose the bet, MA, SH, my sxy boys from art, 540 & Goof Troop, CK, KK, KH, TNKS for helpin me out the last 4 yrs, I luv all my KM's & JM & CN, Don't forget pink radio, Hang in there KR, Peanut I laugh at you — You mean more to me than you will ever know, I Luv Thanksgiving lunch, Thanks to my loving family!!!

To Remember: Tennis 9-12, CC 9-10 even though I hated it, It's Academic 9-12, Drama 9-10(TC). Toad (thighs), HFStival, Rage, TP, NIN — D.B., meeting the VF, Coolio, almost forgot Ugly, and HFStical. My teammates BK and DF, Tennis Partner SN, Lifting with BG plus JL and JD for a while, Big Sis KJ Good luck in NC MF, My bud from the beginning SS, LW, I that SS up. I'm not done yet but I am out of room, sorry to all not mentioned, you should be.
To Forget: 1/1/95

David Jupiter

Katharine M. Kelly
"KATIE KAY" "CLASS CLOWN"
Quote: "I'll be there to share a joke or light your smoke" CHILL
Activities: Softball 1,2,3,4 — Thanks Coach Tepper, Hockey 1,2,3,4
93: Sneakin Out with KJ to KH, Its the cops, they took a right, we have 0 trust in you, strip poker, DB — Thanks for breakin me in — Jrykd Mailboxin — Vandalizin, "Throw it", KJ, DW — car stealing, Snkin out 93: KH, CN, LH, OK, TD "Crew", Snow Days Spades, Sangri, DF, LH Ceiling Du-Bage, The "Cools" Oras Beat-Down.

95: Set up KH & KP — Get Married , Fun times w/JP, GdLk w/ Hockey, The cool Ash Hanleys & CT, SB was GREAT! Ace Ventura Pull Over, "She Drew Blood!" BCHWK/The Hill & other Prtys 96: SENIORS!!! W-L F-Hky Fight, My boys in 540 & GT Nation — Kp Rollin BJ — Thanks for the college trps — Lnch w/AW & TG You Go Girls — See you later Carl — GdLk! To My fmly — I Luv you guys! GdLk w/o ME — I luv all my fellas, KH, CN, OS, RR, & JP (KP Too) Abbey — Keep it real, My Blk Queen Forget: Coming in Scnd in SB, The Sell-Out Fgt, Pops Death, PceOut MV

Catherine Marie Kiefer
MEMORIES: OKLAHOMA; MADRIGALS, CC, TD, EE, NB, JS, EC, AP; FIELD HOCKEY; BUMPS @ SARANAC; CHAMPION; YL; FEMMES; HFS — TIVAL X-MAS; BEACH WEEK '94; BUDGET BEACH MOTEL W/KB, KH, CN, SD, KJ, MD, JM; PARTIES @ GC'S & AP'S; TRIP TO LONGWOOD & ROANOKE W/KJ & MD — WAKING UP; 203 W/MD; HOT TUB W/ EVERYONE; ALADDIN & DC — FLOAT CHAMPS! HA HA; DISCO PARTIES; RACES AFTER SCHOOL & DRIVING @ NIGHT; DEAD SHOW W/AP & KB — PIZZA & MUNCHIES; FLOYD W/KB; NEW YEARS @ SASHA'S; HOMECOMING '95 — THANKS MH; LATIN CLUB; ROLLING DOWN THE HILL @ UVA; S, O, & M — SOMEDAY — (& BP); SENORITA; OSITA! — JL, CK, EC — YOURE ALL GREAT — TRD, KK, LB, SN, JULY 4 — SINGING W/MD & JM; SHOWER W/MD, JM, KR, OS, JP, CN; CC — THANKS 4 RIVALRY, DUETS & FUN; KN?; CD — COLA GRANDE — KEEP SMILING CHICA; DF — BEST STEP-BRO, COW TIPPING; KJ — SHOPPING, SKIING, MOVIES & FOOD, OUR EXPENSIVE NAP; TD — I MISS THE OLD YOU, BUT WE DID HAVE FUN; JM — SINCE SANDBURG, LOTF, GOOD LUCK; MD — SNOWED IN, EMMIT'S HORN; KB — THE BEST 4 YEARS EVER; GRAMPY & CANDY — I MISS YOU BOTH.

Danielle Lassiter
Ah! Bright seat! AH! "96" Love Shout out to my mom, dad, Cody, Monica, Velt & the Love of my Life Ve'an. Good Luk To RM, WA, MY, TB, TA, SB, RS, MS, SB, SP, TH, & KR What's up to partners in crime Rashad, Rosheda & Keshia. I'm Gonna Miss Yall! Thanks Ve'an your Love, support and happines it really helped me through school. Thanks, mom for putin up with Ve'an and I. I Love YOU! Good Luk CLass of "96"

Danielle

"GIN" "Pop-tart" Freedom's just another word for nothin left 2 lose. "People change & forget 2 tell each other" *9: SD, STSA, FILM canstrs ladies n the back, DARQ*3 — all w/TD JM & MD. B. Week w/TD & MD (swp salt): JG, HFStival, GS: Haole times, I feel yuck, WYG: Spifs; TD, BP, AH & TC: BBIB, Hi Bob! Jane & H.H. Bye 2 GS & BP. *10: Latin Conv., GC S: DL, JG, RB, PL & GC (HO-HO:TD), hangin w/ TD, JM, MD, AP, CK, KJ & KH, CN, OS & JP. Snow week @ MD's, HFStival, Budget Beach-week: THNX 4 the pizza MD, YL: SARANAC.*11: Knkin down fenses w/KR. Can U feel the luv RR? Float — HA 95: the skanky genies won, CS: I LUV U, HILL Femmes, YL weddin: pitchers o punch Out w/girls/fellas, JP: Prom * 2, 6 months I wasted, Beach w/AB: I miss U & the way it was. QUID facit. * 12: H.C. w/JZ, I owe U: DW, JR & DV, Float: DC #1, clubbing w/AP, MVI: TD, KJ (rght sd), DP (I'm no ballerina) & RA (LG is after me), New Yrs 96 w/HW: it's a sign, BRK-FAST club, OS: I'll miss your mom, oh U2. MS: under 100 lbs. club; Smegma, CC & CH (nos coches son los mejor), GW, REC.
*To forget: JP & his present, 7/4/94 D.D., Alpha 94: BL, 7/4/95: CB, any night wasted by driving around.
*BP: 11 yrs & countin, barbies to brides-

maids, U R the best & I LOVE YOU. I'm the stokie rollin QUEEN!
*AP: stnd rollercoaster, I luv mondu, U eat like an american: JS, lets move out! Denny's talks, I'm here 4 U
*TD: Screw the lists! I don't know, 6 yrs, Can I B N U & EM'S wedding?
*JUS — U R the best, I luv ya, U can never have my car LNG SKNY SXY FEET! 97 boys: JL, AP, CK, EC & CH (1 more year, don't break 2 many hearts) c/o 2000 out of college! WP: LS, HW

Jennifer Lorentzen

Sequoya,
I have watached you grow from a baby to a young lady, and I know you will succeed in whatever you do.

Love
Mom

Justin Lucas
let's keep this modest. BGL let these few words express inexpressable understanding, importance . . . MJKP whose dreams will come true . . . who looks like buddha. MS who is not underestimated . . . always has my back. LW let these words make up for so much silence. the boys BW, DJ, DF, KN, EA, TP, OO, P. barbecues, 1st of tha mnth, scavenger hunt,
everything else . . . t.d.i.y.e. . . .

Thank GOD I graduated! KD, AW yall kept me rollin in 6th. DC, RR, YP next year is for you! TDB I can see in your room (HE.) DJD, DKD ya'll so cute! DKD Shut up that nonsense and get some business. NM stay real and don't forget your friends. AP 100% pure trash. KA did you find the gerbils?
REMEMBER: Chillin wit da BBC Crew Creepin wit da lethargic lackeys.
FORGET: Everyone who tried to bring me down, but like the sun I still rise. Thanks to all the teachers that helped me make it this far. I couldn't have done it with out you. Ya'll look for me on TV! Move over Oprah, here I come! Motto to live by: I can do ALL things, through Christ that strenghens me. Phil. 4:13

Vannessa McCormick
Class of 96

Jill Metcalf
4 yrs Var Soc Ladies N the Back (MD, JL, TD, me) Spn Dr. (Cght Once) Latn Conv '93 MD & KB, BB & me, TD & Bubba — GC's (Closet, Lndry Rm, Ht Tub & Shwr) Zenior Wk '94 — Bdgt Bch — jello Chillin @ KTJs & CKs — Paddy wagn! MV Inn Crew — More Lmonade Please 9 Accidents W/MD "Sorry About Yr Toe MD" CKs Bch HS @ Rhobeth "Iris get back n the bthrm!" Sccr Cmp 95 Psn Ivy & Chkn Pox @ YL Cmp 94 — The Killer Man o War "Of Course it was excused" Washing Hair NCKs Shwr Bthrom Tlks W/MD — Toll Rd W/Jenn R

SGD mems: Napping, Eating, PA 3x Skpin Evry Day Alpha 94 Prom 95 Fd Fghts Hard Core The Tramp. OC & my entire JR yr: Good Luck Shawnee, Sty N Tch — Hey Crzy Couz, Im Here For U If U Need It — Out Wikn W/CN Val Day 95 (Bsted By Mr D) Hang In There Kris Only 2 More! Kg St in w/CN & TA — Sleeping Ovr @ KRs/CNs HmCming 95 — Bliz 96 — Tble Breakn NYE 96 — 540 Boyz — Thx ChTB 10/10 All My Girls: TD, AP, JL, JR, LB, SS, KK & esp MD, KR, KJ, CK — Stay cool — Carl baby, I Hope We Are Always As Close As We Are Now — 10

Todd McThany
Band trip to M B Room with JC MS RD CD. Hot Dog vender in Fl. WOW: Band Camp no more yes. Prom 95 with MJ & ML my date SH had fun. 95 Indy what a year. Jenn H BF for life. Hope jeep is okay. Homecoming 95 ROTC Ball with JH. Hope 96 is as good as 95

GEN MOORHOUSE'S THINGS TO REMEMBER:
NEW YEARS 92 W/L.C, D.L, AD. MY WHOLE LIFE W/L.C. NEW YEARS 94' W/THE CLIQUE. OFF THE ROAD W/ B.F, L.C, J.M, J.C, E.M., J.K, M.P, A.H D.C. SPADES, NINTENDO AND CLOSET VISITS AT MY HSE. BEATING MARIO BROS. THE LITTLE YOSHIES. WHAT A PARTY THAT WAS! JUICY FRUIT SALES AT J.K. HOUSE. NOV 4TH W/T.B. AND C.J/ L.C. WE'VE COME A LONG WAY BUDY. ILVU. J.M — DONKEY HORSE BANANA FROG JST 4 U./J.C — SUP JOE/E.M — GUMP, FROM B.F./J.K — I WISH LOTS OF HAPPINESS 4 U. I LV ALL MY FRNDS 4 EVR. B-NICE U R THE BEST GUY I EVER HAD. (MARRY ME?) I LV U 4 EVER AND ETERNITY.
THINGS TO FORGET: EVERY GUY PRIOR TO B.F. AND BAD HAIR CUTS. TO THE FROSH HA! HA!

Qais Nawaz
and 540 boyz, Koos, Shooter, Crusty, Taco, woody, red neck, the man, Rhino, ELVIS, jets, it Interest, mr. perfect, Rob T, Ach, Ocean City with T.S, T.F, J.C, N.M Jamican 40 Bag. Beach week 95 suntan hell chilling with beast and ice. Koos mobile, Sheds of trans first "J" before W.P soccer game w/T.F and T.S. Meetting at Highs. at Mansion house Osh my cookie give me more cases of ice in the Econo tub thanks to Tanya. Christmas break at econ for 4 nights. 540 Qais nawaz and 540 boyz. will never forget M.A. bomb parties, L.B, L.C sisters J.P, S.W, H.K, clown, J.R, K.R, GOOF TROOP, K.K, kelly Hall, S.R, L.B, Hay O wuz up with the bud'dies, Navie, J.M, M.D, K.A, Asian Pride, Fish, son GIMP SQUAD, Q*Qn = party. I'll miss all of you, you to P.L. I love Marry J. 7th p. mrs. Rufty

and Mrs. Gurrella. Coach Zeff "you bloody fool kick bleeding ball" Karim da koon it. koos mother. Q man kondo, Phett Tony kelly MV soccer team. W/ out us they s ..! Qais is the MAN. Hey don't forget 14st, Galvestine, 203, Rob T got the fattest Bud'dies in M.V. Wuz up K.B, M.D, M.B, and all of you that I did'nt name peace out. people to forget RAT ATTACK R. that is it. see you later M.V. A.D. PE. B.T. fat boyz J.M keep doing sit ups. Pack AB Flex. HOW MANY O'S DO WE HAVE? FIVE FORTY JON R. IS AN

SIKE, LOVE YOU ALL QAIS

William Donelson Neal IV

Calvin Cline, Will X, Thrill, Chip. Yearbook. Young life, REPUBLICANS! Geo systems hearts team. To Brian, Mike, Adam, & Grant — A great group of men who have what it takes. Drag fest, Trash fest, Fight-Night. Fort Willie! Thanks Carl, alot. To the Golf team. All our adventures were amazing, sorry about the light Pat. Thanks Coach. Shultz brothers better stop the beatings. To Scott, Ainslie, and Ape Chris — much respect. Sorry for all the trouble and anger I caused you Ainslie. Lynchberg was a lot of fun. Sorry Mr. Stone. And Derek, you'll always be my friend To Elle — thanks for letting me go with you to Radford and letting me drive. Jen Hart, you're perfect and I really care for you. XXOO Castlemaine XXXX. To my brother the stud — Matt you're the greatest. Get a bigger stick to beat them off with. Tom, I Love You. You will Always be better than your oldest brother Will Stay strong. Thanks to my family. I love you mom and dad, you are wonderful. On to Mississippi for more fun. All have fun. Matt, take it from here.

KEVIN NOBLE

(Scrote): Mr. VM '92 / Lunch Bunch / Soccer W/GENE / Dory / ROMANIA / CC w/Sly / Multiplex Crew / "Shoot the Death Star" (painting the fence) / RISK Society / Fort Willard / SCAVENGER HUNT / Prom '95 / IB Sleep / Kiss the Green Leprechaun / Late Nite Study Group at Dave's / Dating Game Twins / school @ 7:25? To all the ladies throughout the years, this memory is for you . . . I Love you, Han-Na!

JENNIFER ROSE REILEY

Memories to remember: Best friends KB, LB, DW, AP, CJ; Fun times w/SS, KH DG, ED, KK, D, RC, & everyone else; B-ball champs #1 w/KB, D, SR, SF, BF, JS, TM, you guys helped me survive. D & BF, "Thats my dog!"; Soccer rules! Cosmos, Panthers, long drives w/JM; The fun times in 8th w/ KH, CB, LC, & CN; "Glowing"; The guy talks w/KH (skivies); Riverwood beach; All the times at KB's house; Me and KB's birthdays; "Jose, shut up!"; Parties at LB's; "ice-tea". "you're so cute!"; Mr. E's class w/L & HP; LB's phone talk w/my mom; w/DW & LB; KB & LB you guys always make me laugh, I love you!; CJ my soulmate AP you so crazy; DW we have more fun times to come at ECU!; Shannon you're the best, I'm always here for you. Mom, Dad, Shan, Kelly, Pat, I love you so much!!

Memories to forget: Getting caught and perms from hell.

Thanks everyone who believed in me. MV thanks for the memories. I'M OUTTA HERE!

Melissa Ann Pamilar Satorre

AB (4 yrs) Slumber Party, the 'Heat' (ew!), crazy girl (ugh), Big P, them boys & (Alias & Manzana). Forever NY. WA (2 yrs) Favors & Food, NY again, Zei w/ Yaser & Mo (nevor), Prom 95, Parties & Clubs. SD (10 yrs) Youngin' (Clubbud 4 Life, Sharif & Lewie, IHA (Hmm.), WLS (Luv U Babes) One day, thanx. KB (3 yr) 2 many fights (u & EN) buddy (Luv U) KIT. Tribe man (1/95 thank U) D.og (MYTH, p., that's it?) One nite w/ MS, MD, WLS (my bodyguard), SD at club. Hawaii (PS) NY, Prom 95 w/SS) kit, Whatta life 95 (b-u-2-ful) 2 many memories 2 fit.(:

Qasim "Q" Sayed

Senior Memories Ric Ric Roc Ram And Jam For Me!!! Eric Baker Da' Play Maker Wuz Up! The West Pot Incident With CN, Doc MD — "You Have Such Beautiful Hey Pat Can I Smoke with you man? Mike, Q, And Lynn At The Radisson RF — "Take Me To The ATM Ha Ha Ha! I Got Five On Galveston and 203 Hey AC I Like your M & M's BINGO/MD Thanks HP For Teaching Me Da Roll SHOUT OUTS TO: PL MD SS EB BM HP CM RF BF DL AW (A's Basement) MF MH WH AC CJ JW EW TW MS NR JR TB AM EM AND TO ALL OF MV I'm out!!!

I've gained many friends who've made the past 4 years very memorable & I'd like to say thanks. (You all know who you are.) I'd also like to thank all the cheerleaders. I love you all! To my parents — Thanks for all your love & support. To my sister (Melissa), my brother & my "best friend" — thanks for always being there & I love you! C/O 96 we're finally graduating!

FELICIA SELLERS

OLIVER SHARP

REPRESENTIN — GOOF TROOP, MNB, FAT PACK, FLMAFIA. NB, ALWAYS MY BEST MAN AND BROTHER, STAY REAL. LUNCHIN 96 w/GW, SH, MA. MUCH LOVE TO KK, KH, RR, CN, JP FOR THE GOOD TIMES. SHOWER w/CK, JM, MD, KR, CN. KEEPIN IT REAL W/BADING EKO AND QUI. CLOCKIN LOOT W/ NB — LOCK DOWN. LAX CHAMPS 95 — ST NB SNOW AND THE TEAM. FRIDAY B-BALL SN, SS, DF, GW, JT. MAD LOVE TO ALL THE BOYS AND GIRLS THAT STAYED TRUE IN MONEY EARNIN MT VERNON. REGRETS TO ALL THE GIRLS I SCREWED UP WITH, I LOVE YOU ALL. SORRY MEMORIES AND PEOPLE I DIDNT FORGET THEY WOULDNT FIT. PEACE

DIANE KIMBERLY SHORT

Dee, Di, Dianey Baby, Lady

RT: 1/8/93 — 3/8/93, 1/18/93. BA: 7/17/94 — 9/17/95, 8/28/94, "Whatever bubbles, bubbles up", "the tape" — nuf said, I luv U Butch. MD: U R still my best friend, Dunkin' Doughnuts/McDonald's w/MS & CS, lost in D.C., your

driveway W.C.: Stratford w/WP crew, "UP! UP!", Skinny dippin' '93, NY '94, lunch trips — Taco Bell or Wendy's? JM: I'll always hold your hand, Good luck w/P.S. MS2: My be-fri in MI, U don't know what it's like . . . nuf said. CS: To my twin, good luck w/S.D., "Bright Light" in W.C.'s car, "Look I can push the door with my nose." MS: "Is so hard for me to say I sorry", "You're a Leo, what's Chris?" PM: Thanx 4 listening to my problems w/ BA, driving your car w/CS. Mrs Efthemes: NY 93-95, Fashion shows 94-96, Thank you Mrs. Ef. To MV I'm outta here!!!!!

SCOTT E. SIEGEL
Its unblevble Kirk! Xmas 95 Lets make a video! Blzrd 96' Grey torpedo dont get stuck it gets delayed! BW, KM MEMORIES 2 FORGET: LT, VC, JB 12/16/94 . . . Turn the station — BANG! The night — Its a 5 man Homecomming 95, Bad grades Thanx 2 BG 4 being my best bud 4 12+ years. Xiamora 2! Thanx 2 Mrs. D 4 that long talk & all your support! Thanx 2 my best buds — SN, DS, JT, SS, DJ, CC, DT, OW, BW, WA, DR MR Chap 9 w/QS — ric ric roc Jursc Pk w/DS, OW, AC FISH JT SN, DS, SPAM, Star Trek, Uno DecumX1, Prom 95 w/MS, WA, DR Tenis team, Up all night — Im not going to the B-rm alone PADIDDLE, Helo felo jeepr Sum 95, Cranberies cncrt. U So Crazy, KD, Makdady, Bio w/OS, Goof Troop, EBOLA, Hey Pico, Just peachy! GD cncrt w/SN, SS, DT, KD Senior skip day wknd. No orignalty I Lup U Guys! Good luck M.F.

Melanie Anne Smith
Melbel, Wiez, Felony, Potato Girl, MS #1, I-da-ho Track 9, Cheerleading 10-12 SUMMERS OF 93-95 w/SARA. Melby clas lunch. JC, CO, DS, JC, BUNCH, CO & SG. EZ CHEEZ. CHS/MDGRAD. BP & JF are SP.SAF HUBBA HUBBA! SMEGMA! BB.GN2 McCALL!! BRF 95 w/EH, JB, AS, MD, NT, JC, Deltabas Euclid. Sara, U R the gr8st friend I ever had. Luv U!! SR & MS FF.xw/JH, BB SE & Josh. Fitzy I Luv U! MS CREW:) Malisa & Nick I'll miss u tons!!! AT, LH, BF, KS, SF. JL — under 100 lb. clb. COWGIRLS DO IT BETTER! COUNTRY RLZ Mom & Dad I love you!! SAF FAN CLUB

Jill, Jilly, Jilly Bean, Oatmeal Mindless Twit — LB, AP, AP, CN get n ready 4 prom — AP wheres CN live — LG BB & Andrew Shue — Lunch on the sewers LB, AP — LB & the dog — Walk U 1/2 way LB — HP, AP, JM "EYES" Everyday in Ebelings class w/everyone — All that jazz crap What do grapes smell like, HP Its been interesting, HP — Best team ever — COSMOS — toilet paper BS sessions — TB tape 90210 & MP while Im away — Lovin GL — Fun in snow w/EG — Mr. E & concert band A Strawberry Gun That Is — MROONR

Charight — As if — You know — Pooh Br B-ball — Love you guys — Winning everything — making Farmer mad bright red — Delirious — Ifer — Snuckums — Bill your door — Math Bratty Bball girls — broken nose, KC — confetti in showers Attitudes — 1 basket at a time Toilet paper & then sum — tourneys good at clock & book, Dee Love To Seniors, Players, Teachers, Coaches; Especially: LB, AP, HP, EG, Girls Bball Remembering 91X & Peter Pan, GETE EYE, Loving You Greg

Jill Stecher

This shout out is coming right out the mouth of your fellow classmate **TRAY SUMMERS.** Love Peace and Happiness to all underclassmen. Lil Bunnion (Yodit) and Casper (Sida) stay sweet. Special shout out to N.A.W (Smack Off) Sleep Floyd and Scrappy. My one and only sweet heart Tiff. One big shot out to all my senior friends. We made it.
Love, TRIZZE (TRAY S.)

David Suriya:
Words to remember: I saw nwt I saw nwt gang, Whats undr da towel; nuthn, I think a wanna fly away, SPAM, ME — DANG L — SOB, Paddidle, Hello fellow jeeper, you so crazy.
Memories to remember: Chaps class, Ebelings class, Unodecem w/O.W, B.G, S.S, A.K. FISH w/S.N., S.S, J.T., Kings Dom., Da Night, Cranberries cncrt., 12/16/94 change da station, BANG!, Snr. Skip Wk. Boys Soccer team, Soph. bud J.S. thanx for horning w/me "If I go down, you all come down w/me.", Making videos Blizzard of 96', Sleding w/S.S, S.N, S.S, D.J, D.T, C.C, Q-zar, Best friends: S.S, S.N, J.T, S.S, O.W, A.K, B.G, Thanx to the lady friends: P.V, A.S M.V, C.C, D.T, D.S, Casio its you, Summer of 95', Away soccer games, Hey Pico, You better calm down now, Hey, we steal lumber. SAWADEE KUP.

Thanks to the C/O 96 for a great 2 years!! CC my best bud, I love ya!! DR, hey cool girl thanx 4 the fun (snow & New Years), E? KD, SN, SS, SS, my boyz, Balt, jacuzzi, marion, movies, groove is in the hrt, oasis, Q-Zar, cool cool Woo-hoo!! padiddle, jeeper, LLCOOLJ!! It's TD's house, it's TD's house. My bro, fountain? Ms. H, thankx!! MsW, cookies? HOYAS!! I'm outta here!!!!!

Diane Thompson

Holly T. Urquhart
"4eva Smiling" Band 95 — Rd. Trips!!! BOAx2 — Ponderosa? AC, AS, LM — ghetto corner! Ac, AS, AP — Kill FOZIE! AC — 203! JM — Thanks! coeverything! SGA — LM, JM IMPEACHMENT, Doubletree, APPLEBEES — Find me POTATO SKINS! QN — Prom 95 — Who has my inhaler? K. Dominion 95 — Where's ERIC? LM — Pictures LIE! 579 models! CD — 40 hips, Free gas dance! Trung John . . . My BUMBLEBEE! BE — Alpha 94 my left hook & the driver! Assault & Battery! EW — Nutcracker 95 — just call Cindy! AP — SQUID! Free Refills! Roll Call! Sum 1-2-Luv! CD, AS, Prom 94 w/ Scott! Cliffy — I Luv U cuz, stay outta trouble! CB, LM, LW never forget the

posse! Chris — I Miss U! Luv & Luck! X-mas Eve & 7/11! SS — Who's best friend were U? Part time friends aren't worth my time! To my true best friends — Chancey D. & Chris B. — Thank You, I Luv U Guys!
Things To forget:
c/o 95 @ ODU — stay outta my life! BH — U were 2 scared 2 eva find out Dr. Z. 7th pd. class! Phycho crazy blondes! GOOD LUCK CLASS OF '96!!!

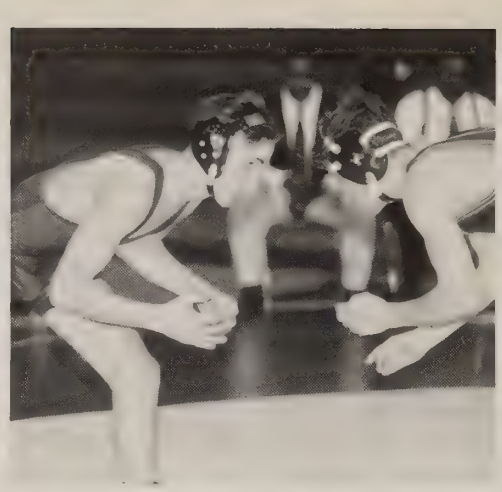
Devon Lydia White
POOH BEAR MOOO FRNDS FREVR — K.J, K.K, P.M, J.R, K.B, J.M, C.R, S.C, J.D; L.B, K.K, K.J, P.P — U ALL KNW IT WS A FULL MOON! THE OLD GNG — P.P, K.J, ME, P.L, O.S, B.B, K.J, K.K STLIN STOP SNS. S.C — DNT FRGT THOS DANCIN DAYS. K.B HOUS — SLE PIN ON GRND, PUKIN ON A.A, C.R SHS; S.C IM FIN! BEACH WK 95 — SUK IT K.T, E.P, N.B, A.C, J.T, T.H, K.B, C.B — SORY NOT IN MY BD! FIELD HCKY BUDS — S.W, J.P, K.A, K.R, H.KHAV FUN NXT YR! TO ALL MY GUYS — N.B, O.S, P.L, K.H, P.H, J.M, T.H, B.D — LUV U ALL. LUNC BUDS — M.D, J.M, J.L, A.P, P.M, P.L, J.D, J.R , J.Z — IL MIS THE SX TAKS! D.V — BE CAR-FUL IN THE BATHRM!! J.R LUV U, SEE U AT ECU! DILL LUV U LOTZ, DNT FRGT PROMIS LAK HOUS. P.L — LUV U ALWAYS THANX MOM, DAD & GAV LUV U ALL.
MEMORIES TO FORGET: N.B, J.D, O.S, P.L THAT WHOL NGHT. BEACH WK 95 — J.M AND ALL HIS LTL GRLS. D.C — YUK! P.H & MIND GMS. C.D — CNCETD. STUPID FGTS W/P.L — SORRY -------- GIRLS JST WANA HAV FUN!

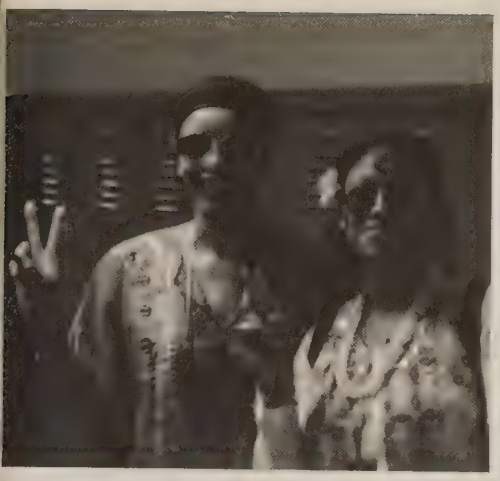
Jessica Bailey White
Memories: Cranberries, Beach, UVA, Skiing, Europe, Homecomings. C.J. Berry! PMS, Grub, Driving, Cork flys, come back to me ok. A.C. Look at the signs, swimming SMK ugly for me! B.M. oops! J.R. T.B. Why are we . . .? Gin! OK, Where's the bar? Everything! E.W. Twins! Guys who needs them? L.S. Too Much! Friends 4 ever! N.A. Shoulder 2 cry on, Thanks! J.D. He didn't call back? H.P. My other half, RAW! A.C. C.J. T.B. I love you guys!

Liza Washington
remember: girls night out Chi Chis, Rio; Sunny D-crew, Lexus Bway ride; TRK songs; chiklets at Spring. Mall; Countn' Crows; G-Love; Myrtle Beach brush search; parkwy sleddn; pwr walkn & bases; LAX dist. trn. champs; integ posse Sp. stdy groups; Indianapolis friends esp. DJ, CB, AM, MS, BG, AS, JL, MK, CD, SS, CC, AW, SN, TD forget; safeway parklot, ditches; early mornings and late nights; be good MA

Abisag Woldegebriel
(mud-duck) I would like thank GOD for everything he's has done for me. I'm going to miss all my good friends in MVHS. All the parties, McDonalds after b-ball games. Car wouldn't start at WPHS. Yodit scared . . . ha-ha flour babies in SF. KK locker. What a great mother. Homecoming & Prom "95";: SF, Red Lobster, hotels, boat ride, old town & African queen. It was fun. Sean you my night and day, without you, I don't think I would have survived in MVHS. I wish you and your family the best. All my Hybla Valley friends: NP, LW, TW, ST, KG, TG, TC. My family: HW, EW, SB, YW, AW, MW, mom & dad. I love you. Thank you for everything.
P.S. "AS IF!!!"

Greg Wong
Being lunched on at a sushi bar on Lunch Bunch, Having a blisful time sophmore year, Pregnant girl, la bestia, 4 wheeling with da boyz, odd man out in risk crew, star wars pinball, BReTH, chonkey, gaffled in the 95' election with my boy, hunt, raving with my boy da ninja B-ball vs Girl's all stars, swimming and chillen on the Bio field trip, skiing for da first time, going da Mickey dees getting my teeth knocked in, wrecking my car, losing my babies





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PRINT

Printed by Jostens in Winston-Salem, North Carolina, the 1995-1996 Surveyor circulated 500 copies.

DESIGN

Ainslie Pearsall, William Neal, and Jody Stone designed the rough draft for the cover at yearbook camp in Lynchburg, where the first design is thought to still remain. It was later finalized by the staff and redrawn by Ainslie Pearsall, who was wrongly accused of losing the first copy.

MATERIAL

It is printed on white material, using Litho application and Matte lamination blend. The layers of print are as follows: first is black, second is maroon (4090) #194, and the third is metallic silver #877. The end pages were done using smoke gray #297 material with black primary color.

COVER

Special thanks to the Jostens artist who drew the original cover and we are sorry for losing it. The base type for the 1995-1996 Surveyor is 14 point Palatino, but most sections varied by the editors' discretion.

TITLE

The title was very carefully chosen at yearbook camp by Stone, Pearsall, and Neal.

STAFF

The staff, Will and Ainslie especially, would like to thank Mr. Jody Stone the yearbook sponsor, for all his determination and understanding. Even though he had little experience, together we turned out the best book we have ever worked on. We met deadlines, most of the time, and kept things running smooth through all the setbacks, walls, and obstacles we faced.

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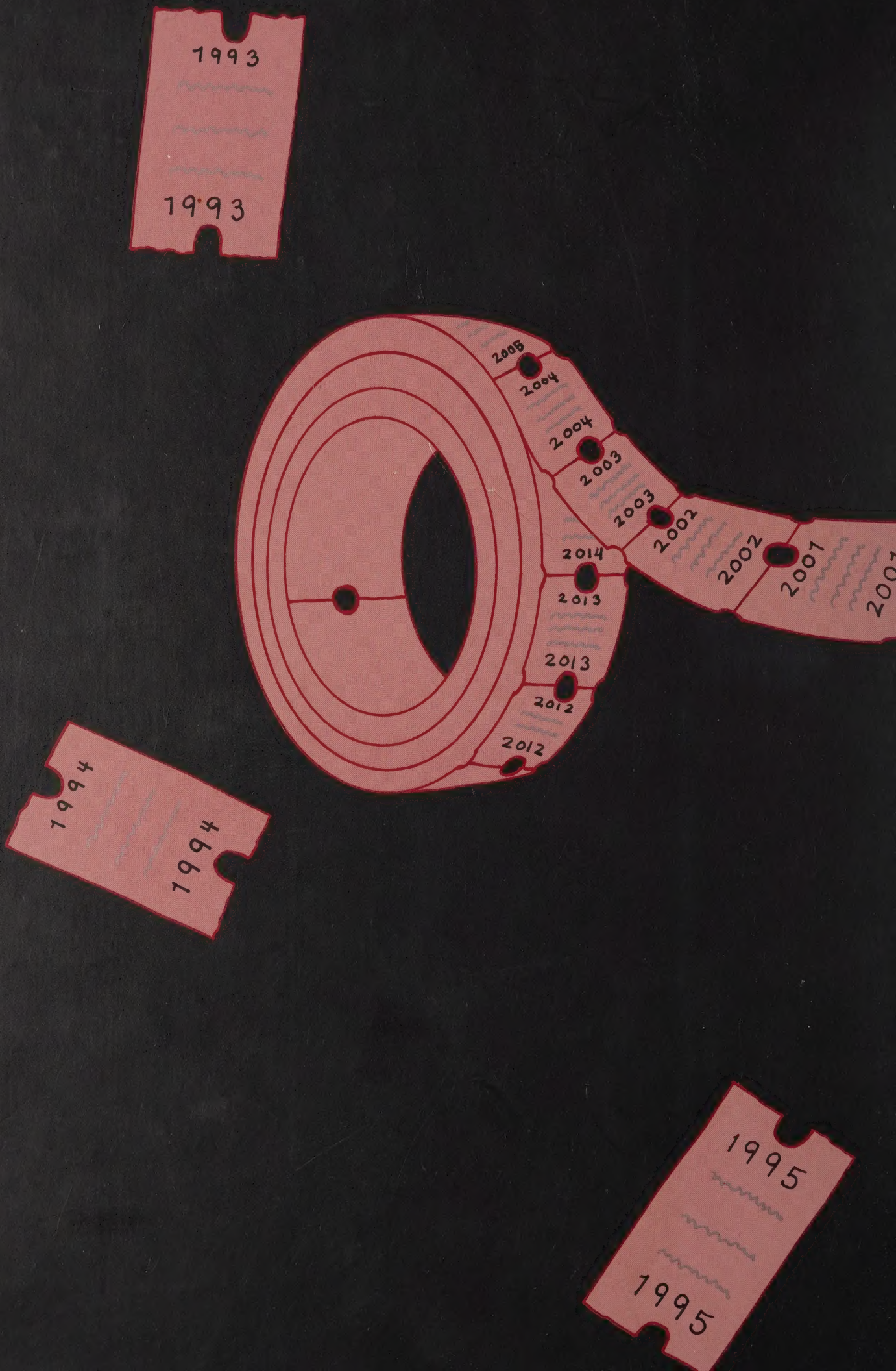
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